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SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CAMDEN DISTRICT.

NOVEMBER SESSIONS, 1774.

At a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at CAMDEN, *for the Diſtrict of* Camden, *on the 5th Day of* November, *in the Year of our Lord* 1774, *before the Hon.* WILLIAM-HENRY DRAYTON, *Eſquire, one of the Juſtices of our Sovereign* LORD *the* KING.

ORDERED,

THAT the Charge of His Honour the JUDGE, together with the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY, at the preſent Seſſions, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

By the Court,

John N. Oglethorpe, D.C.C. & P.

The CHARGE.

Gentlemen of the Grand Jury,

YOU are now met to diſcharge one of the moſt important Duties in Society; for, you are aſſembled Arbiters of the Innocence or Guilt of ſuch of your Fellow-Citizens, who are ſo unfortunate, as to have afforded Occaſion, however ſlight, for the Laws to take Cognizance of their Conduct. ——You are authorized to paſs Judgment in the firſt Inſtance, upon the apparently guilty wretch; and by your acquitting voice, you have power to ſhield apparent innocence from a malicious proſecution:—Such powers has the conſtitution of your country veſted in you: powers! no leſs important than truly honourable, when exerciſed with a fearleſs integrity.

It is your indiſpenſable duty, to endeavour to exerciſe theſe powers with propriety.—It is mine, concisely to point out to you, the line of your conduct.—A conduct which, the venerable conſtitution of your Country intends, by protecting the innocent, and by delivering the guilty over to the courſe of Law, ſhould operate to nouriſh in its nature Vigour, *even that conſtitution itſelf, from whoſe generous ſpirit, we have a title to call ourſelves* FREEMEN.—An appellation which peculiarly diſtinguiſhes the Engliſh ſubjects (thoſe unfortunately diſappointed fellow citizens in Quebeck excepted) and ranks them above all the civilized nations of the Earth!

'By as much as you prefer Freedom to Slavery, by ſo much ought you to prefer a generous death to ſervitude, and to hazard every thing to endeavour to maintain that rank which is ſo glorioufly pre-eminent above all other nations. You ought to endeavour to preſerve it, not only for its ineſtimable value; but from a Reverence to our Anceſtors, from whom we received it, and from a love of our Children to whom, we are bound by every conſideration, to deliver down this Legacy—the moſt valuable that ever was or can be delivered to Poſterity.—It is compounded of the moſt generous civil Liberty which ever exiſted; and the ſacred Chriſtian Religion, releaſed from the abſurdities which are inculcated—the ſhackles which are impoſed—the tortures which are inflicted—and the flames which are lighted, blown up and fed with blood by the Roman Catholic doctrines:— Doctrines which tend to eſtabliſh a moſt cruel tyranny in Church and State: a tyranny under which all Europe groaned for many ages. And ſuch are the diſtinguiſhing characters of this legacy, which, may God of his infinite goodneſs and mercy long preſerve to us, and graciouſly continue to our poſterity. But without our pious and unwearied endeavours to preſerve theſe bleſſings, it is folly and preſumption to hope for a continuance of them. Hence, in order to ſtimulate your exertions in favour of your Civil Liberties which protect your Religious Rights; inſtead of diſcourſing to you of the laws of other States, and comparing them to our own; allow me to tell you what your Civil Liberties are, and to charge you, which I do in the moſt ſolemn manner, to hold them dearer than your Lives.—A leſſon and charge at all times proper from a Judge—but particularly ſo at this criſis, when America is in one general and generous commotion touching this truly important point.

It is unneceſſary for me to draw any other character of thoſe liberties than, that great line by which they are diſtinguiſhed:—and happy is it for the Subject that, theſe liberties can be marked in ſo eaſy, and in ſo diſtinguiſhed a manner. And this is the diſtinguiſhing character.—— Engliſh People cannot be Taxed—nay, they cannot be bound by any law unleſs by their conſent, expreſſed by themſelves, or by their Repreſentatives of their own election.—This Colony was ſettled by Engliſh Subjects—by a People from England herſelf—a People! who brought over with them—who planted in this Colony—and who tranſmitted to their Poſterity, the invaluable Rights of Engliſhmen.—Rights! which no time, no contract, no climate can diminiſh.—Thus poſſeſſed of ſuch Rights, it is of the moſt ſerious importance that you ſtrictly execute theſe regulations which have ariſen from ſuch a Parentage, and to which you have given the authority of Laws, by having given your Conſtitutional conſent that they ſhould operate as Laws. For by your not executing what theſe Laws require, you would weaken the force, and would ſhew I may almoſt ſay, a treaſonable contempt of thoſe Conſtitutional Rights out of which your Laws ariſe, and which you ought to defend and ſupport, at the hazard of your lives.—Hence, by all thoſe ties, which mankind hold moſt dear and ſacred—your reverence to your Anceſtors—your love to your own intereſts—your tenderneſs to your Poſterity—by the awful obligation of your oath, I charge you to do your duty—to maintain the Laws, the Rights, the Conſtitution of your Country—even at the hazard of your lives and fortunes.

Some courtly Judges, ſtile themſelves the King's Servants: a ſtile which ſounds harſhly in my Ears, inaſmuch as, the being a Servant implies obedience to the orders of the Maſter: and ſuch Judges might poſſibly think that, in the preſent ſituation of American affairs, this charge is inconſiſtent with my duty to the King.—But for my part, in my Judicial Character, I know no Maſter but the Law—I am a Servant, not to the King, but to the Conſtitution; and in my eſtimation, I ſhall beſt diſcharge my duty as a good Subject to the King, and a truſty Officer under the Conſtitution when I boldly declare the Law to the People, and inſtruct them in their Civil Rights. Indeed, you Gentlemen of the Grand Jury, cannot properly comprehend your duty, and your great obligation to perform it, unleſs you know theſe Civil Rights from which theſe duties ſpring, and by knowing the value of theſe Rights, *thence* learn your obligations to perform theſe duties.

Having thus generally touched upon the nature and importance of your Civil Rights, in order to excite you to execute theſe Laws to which they have given birth; I will now conciſely point out to you, the particular duties which, the Laws of your Country require at your hands.

Unbiaſſed by affection to, and unawed by Fear of any Man, or any ſet of Men, you are to make preſentment of every Perſon, and of every proceeding, militating againſt Public Good.—The Law orders me particularly to give in charge to watch carefully over our Negro Act, and our Jury Law:—a Law which, cannot be too highly valued whether we regard the excellency of its nature, or the importance of its object.—This law carries in itſelf an indelible mark of what high importance the Legiſlature thought it when they enacted it; and it carries in itſelf alſo a kind of Prophecy that its exiſtence in its native vigour would in after times be endangered:—and therefore it is that the Law orders the Judges ever to charge the Grand-Juries to watch over it with care: Indeed, you ought to do ſo with the moſt jealous circumſpection.—A learned Judge ſays, "every new tribunal erected for the deciſion of facts without the intervention of a Jury, is a ſtep towards Ariſtocracy—the moſt oppreſſive of abſolute Governments. And it is therefore a duty which every Man owes to his Country, his Friends, his Poſterity, and himſelf, *to maintain to the utmoſt of his power* this valuable Conſtitution in all its rights; to reſtore it to its antient dignity if at all impaired; to amend it wherever it is defective; and above all, to guard with the moſt jealous circumſpection againſt the introduction of new and arbitrary methods of trial, which, under a variety of plauſible pretences, may in time imperceptibly undermine this beſt preſervative of Engliſh liberty"——Mr. Juſtice Blackſtone terms the Engliſh Trial by Jury—the glory of the Engliſh law;—let me tell you, our Trial by Jury is that kind of glory in full meridian luſtre, in compariſon of which, the Engliſh mode appears only with diminiſhed ſplendor.

But, let not your care of this great object occupy all your attention; you are to find all ſuch Bills of Indictment, as the examination of Witneſſes in ſupport of them, may induce you to think there is a probability that the fact charged is true; for you are not to exact, ſuch circumſtantial and poſitive evidence as, would be neceſſary to ſupport the Indictment before a Petit-Jury.—To make thoſe Preſentments—and to find theſe Bills, it is not neceſſary that you all agree in opinion; twelve united voices among you, are ſufficient to diſcharge the duties of a Grand-Jury: but, it is abſolutely neceſſary, that twelve of you agree in opinion upon every point under your conſideration; and Happy, Happy—thrice Happy are that People, who cannot be made to ſuffer under any conſtruction of the law, but by the united voices of twenty-four impartial Men, having no intereſt in the cauſe, but, that the Laws be executed, and juſtice be adminiſtered.

In ſhort, that you may diſcharge your duty with propriety, and that you may purſue that courſe of conduct which, the law requires; let me in the ſtrongeſt terms, recommend to you, that you keep conſtantly in your mind the nature and particulars of the Oath which you have juſt taken. To you, this Oath is of as much importance, as the Mariners Compaſs is to thoſe who ſail on the Ocean; this points out the courſe of their Voyage—your Oath as clearly points out to you, the courſe of your conduct:—I dare ſay you are willing to diſcharge that duty which you owe to Society; I make no doubt but that you will diſcharge it with advantage to the Public, and therefore with Honour to yourſelves.

The PRESENTMENTS OF

The GRAND JURY for this Diſtrict, at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at CAMDEN, *on the 5th Day of* November, *in the Year of our Lord One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Seventy-four.*

I. WE preſent, as a GRIEVANCE, the extenſive Bounds of the Pariſh of St. Mark, which make it difficult for the Church-Wardens and Overſeers of the Poor, to collect the Poor-Tax, and a great Means to hinder the propagation of the Goſpel in the Back Parts of ſaid Pariſh.

II. We preſent, as a GRIEVANCE, that there is not a Law to aſcertain the Prices of Entertainment at Public Houſes; there being a great Number of them in *Camden* Diſtrict, who frequently impoſe on Strangers and Travellers, by making them pay exorbitantly for what they ſtand in Need of:—To the great detriment of the Poor.

III. We preſent, as a GRIEVANCE, *of the moſt dangerous and alarming Nature*, the Power exerciſed by the Parliament, to Tax, and to make Laws to bind, the *American* Colonies, in all Caſes whatſoever: We conceive ſuch a Power is deſtructive of our Birth-Rights, as FREEMEN—deſcended from *Engliſh* Anceſtors.—Seeing ſuch Free Men cannot be conſtitutionally taxed or bound by any Law, without their Conſent, expreſſed by themſelves, or implied by their Repreſentatives, of their own election; a Conſent which the good People of this Colony never have ſignified, to be taxed or bound by Laws of the Britiſh Parliament, in which they never have had any conſtitutional Repreſentation:—*And wherein* we rather chooſe to die Freemen, than to live Slaves, bound by Laws, in the formation of which we have no participation—ſo now, that the Body of this Diſtrict are legally aſſembled, as one Step towards the Defence of our conſtitutional Rights, which are dearer to us than our Lives and Fortunes, we think it is our indiſpenſable Duty to the People of the Diſtrict to ourſelves, the Grand-Jurors for the Body of the People, and to our Poſterity, thus clearly to expreſs the Senſe of this large and populous Diſtrict, touching our Conſtitutional Rights, and the very imminent Danger to which they are expoſed, from the uſurped Power of the Britiſh Parliament, taxing, and by Law, binding the *Americans*, in all Caſes whatſoever: being RESOLVED, to maintain our conſtitutional Rights, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, we do moſt earneſtly recommend, that this PRESENTMENT, in particular, be laid before our conſtitutional Repreſentatives, in General Aſſembly; who, we doubt not, will do all in their Power, to ſupport us in our juſt Rights.

And *laſtly*, In Teſtimony of the Satisfaction we feel, and the high Eſtimation, in which we hold the Charge given by His Honour the Judge, at the opening the Court, and the Principles of Loyalty and Liberty, in which the ſame is manifeſtly founded: And alſo, that a laſting Evidence may remain, of that true and conſtitutional Language, which it is the Duty of every Judge to adopt, in the Exerciſe of an Office inſtituted ſolely for the preſervation of the Laws; WE make it our Requeſt, that His Honour will be pleaſed to direct the ſaid Charge to be printed and made public; fully perſuaded, that every Man will read it with Applauſe, who wiſhes a laſting Security to the Britiſh Conſtitutional Eſtabliſhment of civil and religious Liberty:—We alſo recommend the publication of theſe our Preſentments.

MATTHEW SINGLETON, *Foreman.*
JOSHUA ENGLISH,
SILVESTER DUNN,
JASPER SUTTON,
JOHN PAYN,
ISHAM MOORE,
JOHN CANTEY,
JOHN WITHERSPOON,
JOHN GAMBLE,
ROBERT CARTER,
HENRY HUNTER,
DAVID NEILSON,
THOMAS CASITY, } (L. S.)
JOHN PERKINS, ſen.
HENRY CASSELS,
SAMUEL BRADLEY,
JAMES CONYERS,
DAVID WILSON,
AARON FRIERSON,
MOSES GORDON,
SAMUEL CANTEY,
EDWARD DICKEY,
JOHN CANTEY,

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CHERAWS DISTRICT.

NOVEMBER SESSIONS, 1774.

At a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at CHERAWS, *for the Diſtrict of* Cherawe, *on the 15th Day of* November, *in the Year of our Lord* 1774, *before the Hon.* WILLIAM-HENRY DRAYTON, *Eſquire, one of the Juſtices of our Sovereign* LORD *the* KING.

ORDERED,

THAT the CHARGE of his Honour the JUDGE, together with the ADDRESS preſented to his Honour by the PETIT-JURY, immediately before their Diſcharge on the 18th Inſtant, and the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY the next Day, at the preſent Seſſions, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

By the Court,

Calvin Spencer, D. C. C. & P.

(The CHARGE, as before.)

ADDRESS of the PETIT-JURY.

To the Hon. WILLIAM-HENRY DRAYTON, Eſq; one of the Juſtices of our Sovereign LORD the KING.

May it pleaſe your Honour,

AS your CHARGE at the opening of the Seſſions, contained Matters of the higheſt Importance to every

Individual in this Colony, as well as to the GRAND-JURY, to whom in particular it was delivered: We the PETIT-JURY for the District of Cheraws, beg leave to return our great Satisfaction, and to return your Honour our warmest Acknowledgments, for so constitutional a Charge at this alarming Crisis, when our Liberties are stretched, and our Properties invaded by the Claim and Attempt of the British Parliament to tax us, and by their Edicts to bind us in all Cases they deem proper; a Claim to which we will never submit, and an Attempt which we are determined to oppose at the Hazard of our Lives and Properties; being fully convinced that, by the Constitution of this Country, we owe Obedience to no Human Laws, but such as are enacted with the Consent of our Representatives in General Assembly.—These being our fixed Sentiments, we take this Opportunity of publickly declaring them: and we would esteem it a particular Favour conferred on us, if your Honour would direct your Charge to be printed, that the Benefit arising from it may be as diffusive as possible, and that it may remain as a Pattern of that constitutional Language, which a Judge should deliver who is above ministerial Influence, and knows no Master but the Law.

CLAUDIUS PEGUES, *Foreman.*
WILLIAM WHITE,
WILLIAM HARDICK,
ZECHARIAH NETTLES,
BENJAMIN WILLIAMSON,
BENJAMIN ROGERS,
ENOCH JAMES,
WILLIAM RICKMAN,
JACOB BRUCE,
BENJAMIN DAVIS,
STEPHEN JACKSON,
JOSEPH PARSONS.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
CHERAWS-DISTRICT.

THE PRESENTMENTS OF

The GRAND-JURY for the Body of this District, at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal-Delivery, begun and holden at the Long-Bluff *on the 13th Day of* November, 1774.

I. WE present as a Grievance, The want of a Law for clearing Pedee River, and to prevent Trees being fell therein, its Navigation at present being unsafe.

II. We present as a Grievance, The want of a Law to prevent the hunting of Deer by Fire in the Night Time, by which Means many Horse and Neat Cattle are destroyed, to the great Damage of the Owners.

III. We present *Andrew Gibson*, for wilful and deliberate Perjury, by the Information of *George Cusack*.

IV. We present as a Grievance of the first Magnitude, The Right claimed by the British Parliament to tax us, and by their Acts to bind us in all Cases whatsoever.—When we reflect on our other Grievances, they all appear trifling in Comparison with this; for if we may be taxed, imprisoned, and deprived of life, by the Force of Edicts, to which neither we nor our constitutional Representatives have ever assented, no Slavery can be more abject than ours. We are however sensible, that we have a better security for our Lives, our Liberties and Fortunes, than the mere Will of the Parliament of Great-Britain: and are fully convinced, that we cannot be constitutionally taxed, but by Representatives of our own Election, or bound by any Laws but those to which they have assented. This Right of being exempted from all Laws, but those enacted with the Consent of Representatives of our own Election, we deem so essential to our Freedom, and so ingrafted in our Constitution, that we are determined to defend it, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes: and we earnestly request, that this Presentment may be laid before our constitutional Representatives, the Commons House of Assembly of this Colony, that it may be known how much we prize our Freedom, and how resolved we are to preserve it.

We recommend that these our Presentments be published in the several Gazettes of this Province.

ALEX. MACINTOSH, *Foreman.*
HENRY-WM. HARRINGTON,
THOMAS AYERS,
ROBERT BLAIR,
WILLIAM PEGUES,
ROBERT LIDE,
GEORGE HICKS,
JOHN HODGES,
ARTHUR HART,
ELIAS DUBOIS,
ROBERT CLARY,
MARTIN DEWIT,
THOMAS ELLERBEE,
MARTIN KOLB,
JOHN KIMBROUGH,
MOSES SPIGHT,
THOMAS LIDE,
THOMAS JAMES,
JOHN WILDS,
THOMAS EDWARDS,
(L. S.)

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
GEORGE-TOWN DISTRICT.

NOVEMBER SESSIONS, 1774.

At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal-Delivery, begun and holden at GEORGE-TOWN, *for the District of* George-Town, *on the 28th Day of* November, *in the Year of our Lord 1774, before the Hon.* WILLIAM-HENRY DRAYTON, *Esquire, Judge and Justice of our Sovereign* LORD the KING.

IT IS ORDERED,

THAT the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY, together with the CHARGE of his Honour the JUDGE, be published.

James Cassels, D. C. C. & P.

(The CHARGE as before)

THE PRESENTMENTS OF *The GRAND-JURY.*

WE present as a Grievance, that so little Notice has been taken of the several Presentments made

II. We PUBLICLY return your Honour our SINCERE THANKS for THE EXCELLENT CHARGE delivered to us at the Commencement of this Assize.

JOHN ALLSTON, *Foreman.*
ANTHONY BONNEAU,
ANTHONY PAWLEY,
WILLIAM DAVIS,
ROBERT DAVIDSON,
ISAAC REMBERT,
WILLIAM PRESSLY,
THOMAS BALLOW,
ARCHIBALD M^cDONALD,
ROBERT PETTICREW.
HENRY MENLY,
WILLIAM BRITON,
JOHN GREEN,
WILLIAM LAWS,
ISAAC CARR,
ROBERT FRIERSTON,
THOMAS HENNING,
DANIEL L'AINE,
ARCHIBALD M^cDOWELL,
MARK HUGGINS.
(L. S.)

Such appear to be Sentiments of the Inhabitants in the extensive Northern Circuit of this Colony, who are a very numerous, respectable, and resolute Body ——— At GEORGE-TOWN, the GRAND-JURY, gave an elegant Entertainment to Mr. Justice DRAYTON, and to the Gentlemen of the Bar; where the following Toasts were drank, viz.

1. The KING.
2. The Lieutenant-Governor and the Province.
3. May the Britons be just, and the Americans free.
4. The Patriotic Juries of the Northern Circuit.
5. A firm Union between the American Colonies.
6. The Bishop of St. Asaph.
7. Lord Chatham.
8. The Pennsylvania Farmer.
9. May the Enemies of America be her Exports.
10. May British Freedom ever find an Asylum in America.
11. May American Liberty and Time have the same Period.
12. May the Cloud which now hangs over America, burst only over the Heads of her Enemies.
13. May the Enemies of Freedom be cursed.
14. May the Zeal of the Congress impress every American with Gratitude.
15. May the Enemies of America be exported, without any Drawback.
16. May the Enemies of America never eat the Bread of America.
17. The American Militia.
18. A speedy Retreat to General Gage and his Troops.
19. May the Americans succeed in their Attempts to defend their Liberties.
20. May the Americans display Wisdom and Fortitude.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
NINETY-SIX DISTRICT.

NOVEMBER SESSIONS, 1774.

The PRESENTMENTS OF

The GRAND-JURY, for the District of NINETY-SIX, *at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal-Delivery, begun and holden at* Ninety-Six, *on Tuesday the 15th Day of* November, 1774.

I. WE present, as a GRIEVANCE, of the most dangerous and alarming Nature, the unconstitutional and arbitrary Claims of the Parliament of Great-Britain, *of Right, to tax and bind the Americans, in all Cases whatsoever*: Claims, not only founded on the Usurpatation of Powers subversive of the Rights of the Colonies, but tending to destroy every Connection, both social and political, by which they have so long, and so happily, been united together. And in Order to evince our inviolable Attachment, to that System of Civil and religious Liberty, which hath cost our British and American Ancestors so much Blood and Treasure to establish, and to give a Proof of our determined Resolution, never to suffer it to be impaired in our Hands, if any Thing, legally within our Power, can prevent it; WE most earnestly request our Provincial Legislature, to continue, as they have hitherto done, in pursuing every Method, which to them may seem most wise and expedient, for procuring a positive and effectual Renunciation, of all such Claims as have already, or may hereafter be asserted by the British Parliament, not founded on the Rights of Mankind in general, and of the Constitution of our Country in particular; assuring them, that we shall, at all Times, readily concur in every Measure, tending as well to the Recovery of such Privileges as have been declared in the General Congress, lately held at Philadelphia, to be illegally wrested from us, as to their Preservation in future.——We recommend this Presentment to the Attention of the General Assembly.

II. We present, as a GRIEVANCE, the Appointment of Magistrates for our District, by Petition at the Recommendation of Merchants, in Charles-Town; some of which Magistrates are unfit Persons, for Want of Knowledge, Education, Fortune, or any other Quality necessary for that Office.

III. We present as a GRIEVANCE, the Want of a Law to confine Constables, in this large District, to proper Limits; for the Want of which they summons Persons from the remotest Part of the District, and make it grievous to the Defendants in general.

Lastly, We recommend that these our Presentments be published in the several Gazettes.

ALEXANDER CAMERON, *Foreman,*
JAMES MAYSON,
ANDREW WILLIAMSON,
MOSES KIRKLAND,
LE-ROY HAMMOND,
AARON SMITH,
PATRICK CALHOUN,
MICHAEL WATSON,
ROBERT GOUEDY,
BENJAMIN BELL,
BENJAMIN TUTT,
JAMES CRAWFORD,
MARK LOTT,
JOHN CALDWELL,
JOHN PURVES.
(L. S.)

New Advertisements.

To be SOLD on the Premises,

On Tuesday *the 24th of* January *next,*

If a fair Day, if not, on the first that happens after,

Pursuant to the last Will and Testament of Mrs. SARAH ELLIOTT, *late of Wappoo,*

A Plantation on Combahee, fronting the river to the South, and bounding on the East by lands of Mr. Thomas Nichols, on the North by Lands of Mr. John-Cato Fields, and on the West by Lands of John Deas, Esq; which Plantation or Tract of Land contains 1972 Acres more or less, and of which by actual Survey agreeable to the Plat, 1155 Acres are of fresh Water Marsh and Tide Swamp, inferior to no Rice Land on Combahee River. *Also*, 120 Acres or thereabouts of back Swamp, very fit for a Reservoir, which may be kept ten Feet deep, and by a Canal the Water may be conveyed to the Barn, where a Water Machine may be erected to beat out the whole Crop, which, with little Trouble might be taken from the Barn Door to the River in a Flat. The remaining 697 Acres is fine Oak and Hickory Land, esteemed the best for Indico and Corn. About 200 Acres of the Rice Land are under Dams, and have been planted several Years, with a suitable Proportion of high Land for Provisions.—The Barn, Overseer's House, and other Plantation Buildings, are situated on a pretty high Hill, which immediately overlooks the Rice Land, and commands an extensive Prospect down the River, and a View of Combahee Ferry, which is but a few Miles distant. If the above Tract should be thought too much for the Purchase of one Plantation, it may on the Day of Sale, if desired by the Purchasers, be divided into two Tracts, having every Advantage for that Purpose. *Also*, at the same Time and Place will be SOLD, the Provisions and Stock of Horses, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, Plantation Tools, &c.

AND,

On *WEDNESDAY,*

The 8th Day of February *following,*

On the Premises, if a fair Day,

Or the first that happens after, at WAPPOO, *six Miles from* ASHLEY-FERRY,

Will be SOLD,

THE Plantation where THOMAS ELLIOTT, Esq; deceased, for many Years resided; which Tract contains 850 Acres, and of which 120 is fine Rice Land already dammed, and produces as good Crops as any in that Parish; this Field may be made a good Reservoir sufficient to flow a good Field below, as there are 400 Acres of hard Marsh that may be made into a good Rice Field, or converted into rich Meadow.—The high Land is either all good for Indico, Corn, or Pasture, and its Vicinity to Charles-Town, with the Advantage of a Landing to the Door, renders it very convenient for attending the Markets. Near the River is an Island containing about 20 Acres, covered with fine Live Oak, fit for Ship Timbers. There are few Plantations in St. Andrew's Parish so valuable. *Also*, the Stock of Cattle, consisting of 80 Head of Cows, and 12 Head of Oxen, which will be set up in Herds of ten or twenty at a Time; also the Hogs, Sheep, some good riding and draught Horses, a Riding Chair and Chaise almost new, some Carts, and two Canows, one an extraordinary good Boat, built by Mr. Bryan, 27 Feet long, and 4 Feet wide, the other 25 Feet long, and 5 Feet 9 Inches wide, both of Cypress; also, the Household Furniture, consisting of Beds, Chairs, Tables, and such other Articles as are generally used in Families.

AND,

On Thursday *the 23d of* FEBRUARY,

At Mr. JAMES STRICKLAND'S

About a Mile from CHARLES-TOWN, *called* New-Market, *if not, on the first Day after,*

Will be SOLD,

SIXTY-FIVE

As valuable NEGROES

As any in this Country, among whom are, one good Man and several fine Women Cooks, two Seamstresses, Coopers, Sawyers, Boatmen, Market-Men, handy Boys and Girls.

And, at the same Time and Place, will be Sold,

Two TENEMENTS under one Roof, at the upper End of Tradd-street, on the Corner of Friend-street, which Tenements rent for £.600 per Annum, and have every Convenience for a Family, with Chair-House, Stable, Garden, &c. to each; they are all lately thoroughly repaired, and new shingled, and being of Brick, are as good as just built.

AND,

On the first Day of March *next,*

At the House in which Mrs. SARAH ELLIOTT *lately resided,* in Tradd-Street, CHARLES-TOWN,

Will be SOLD,

All the Household Furniture,

CONSISTING OF

BEDS, Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs, Looking Glasses, Plate, China, &c. Two Years Credit will be allowed from the Day of Sale, for all Sums above Two HUNDRED POUNDS, paying Interest, and giving approved Security to the Executors.

All Persons having lawful Demands against the Estate of THOMAS ELLIOTT, Esq; late of Wappoo, or Mrs. SARAH ELLIOTT, are desired to send in their Demands properly attested, and those indebted to either of the Estates, are requested to make Payment by the 25th of March, 1775, to

BENJAMIN ELLIOTT,
WILLIAM SCOTT,
BARNARD ELLIOTT,
Executors.

For Sale, by private Contract,

A Valuable Tract of Land in Georgia, containing Five Hundred and Fifty Acres, old Survey, to the Southward of the Altamaha River, and on Great Satilla River; the Quality of this Tract is equal to any in Georgia. For Particulars, please to apply to

PHILIP HENRY.

CHARLES-TOWN, December 13.

THE 21st past, being a Day fixed upon to be observed as an *Anniversary*, by the Charles-Town ARTILLERY & GRENADIER Companies, the former commanded by Capt. OWEN ROBERTS, the latter by Capt. JOHN MCCALL, the said Companies were under Arms, and exercised by their respective Officers, upon the Parade; when they made a truly martial Appearance, and their Proficiency in the military Art was much admired. The Review over, both Corps had a genteel Entertainment in Mr. VALK's Long-Room, where the Remainder of the Day was spent in that Harmony and Cordiality, which ought to subsist in all military Corps, many constitutional Toasts were drank, but we have not been favoured with a List of them. The LIGHT INFANTRY Company, commanded by Capt. MACARTAN CAMPBELL, in Compliment to the others, were also in the Field the same Day.

It is reported so confidently, that we believe it to be true, that the Inhabitants of *Savannah* in GEORGIA, had a public Meeting last Thursday, at which they regularly balloted for a COMMITTEE, to represent that Town, in a General Meeting of Committees, to be holden there on the 18th Day of January next; when they have proposed to elect DELEGATES, to represent that Colony in the ensuing General Continental Congress, and to accede to the Association, &c. entered into by the last.

We are advised from Cape-Fear, that no less than four Vessels, with British Goods on board, having arrived since the 1st Instant, the Importers of those Goods most readily and chearfully gave them up, to be sold under the Direction of the Committee there, in Terms of the Continental Association entered into at Philadelphia on the 20th of October last.

On Sunday the 4th Instant, died, after a lingering Indisposition, and exceedingly regretted by her numerous Relations and Friends, Mrs. Rebecca Webb, the Wife of Benjamin Webb, Esq.

Last Tuesday died here, a worthy good Woman—Mrs. Katharine Poinsett, Widow of Mr. Elisha Poinsett.

Last Friday put in here, the Brigt Speedwell, Sabinus Palmer, Master, from Jamaica bound for Rhode-Island, having been 87 Days at Sea, and in a very leaky Condition.

On Saturday last, returned from the Northern Colonies, in the Brigt. Betsy, Capt. Fowler, from New-York, Daniel Huger, Esq; and Family, Hopson Pinckney, Esq; Mr. Alexander Gillon; Doct. Farquharson, Miss Hasell, and Master Manigault; Mr. Isaac DaCosta, and Miss DaCosta; Mr. Daniel Hall, Mr. Robert Mackenzie, jun. and Mr. Richard Mercer. Besides these, there were about 30 other Passengers, amongst whom were, Mrs. Vidall, and Mr. Abraham Jacobs.

The Committee of Observation at George-Town, having discovered that a Cask of Tea was lately imported there, applied to the Master of the Vessel that brought it, to destroy it, which he immediately did, by staving the Cask, and pouring the Contents into the River.

Yesterday arrived here, after a Passage of only 34 Days from Falmouth, the Le Despencer Packet-Boat, Captain Pond; in which came Passenger Colonel HENRY LAURENS, of this Town.—Our Advices by this Packet are, That most of the Members of the new House of Commons were elected; and that, although America had acquired some new Friends amongst them, yet the Adherents to the Ministry had been so successful, as in all Probability would secure to them a Majority, to approve the rigorous and impolitic Measures that have hitherto been pursued regarding America: In short, Affairs seem to be in such a Train, that if the English Constitution is not as well supported and defended now, as it was by the good old Barons, Englishmen will not long have it in their Power to boast of a Distinction from Slaves.—— JOHN WILKES, Esq; was elected Lord Mayor of London—The City Members are, the Hon. Frederick Bull, John Sawbridge, Richard Oliver, and George Hayley, Esqrs.—The Members for Middlesex, John Wilkes Esq; and Mr. Serjeant Glynn — Mr. Edmund Burke, and Mr. Cruger, were elected for the City of Bristol; Mr. Dunning and Col. Barré, for Calne, Wilts; and our late worthy Governor, William-Henry Lyttelton, Esq; for Bewdley, in Worcestershire.——Mr. Garth (our Agent) and Mr. Sutton, for Devizes.—— More Ships of War had sailed from Plymouth and Portsmouth, for Boston; and instead of Regiments being embarked in them, they carry more or less Companies of Marines, who are to be incorporated with, and imperceptibly augment the Army under General Gage, *to protect the Rights of the Americans!*

A Number of Passengers are just arrived here, from Scotland, in the Countess of Dumfries, Capt. Eson. And,

We are informed there are near 80 from Ireland, arrived off the Bar, in the Ship Liberty & Property, Capt. Martin, from Belfast.

No less than 318,708 Pounds of INDIGO, of the present Year's Crop have been already shipped here for Exportation—165,758 Pounds is gone in the Ship Britannia, Capt. Ball, and 216,586 Pounds more, in the Ship Carolina Packet, Capt. John White, now lying Windbound, both for London.

The Quantity of NEW RICE already exported is, 8,300 Tierces.—The current Price is 30*s.* the 100lb. and of INDIGO 32*s.* 6*d.* to 35*s.* the Pound.

Timothy's Marine List.

Dec.	Arrivals at Charles-Town,	*From*
6th.	Ship Hester, Stephen Beeston,	Hull
7th.	Snow Arabella, Robert Anderson,	Gibraltar
7th.	Ship Polly, John Ayres,	Lewis-Town on D.
	Scooner Britannia, Benjamin Boden,	Marblehead
9th.	Scooner Nancy, Thomas Bridges,	Cape-Fear
	Brigt. Speedwell, Sabinus Palmer,	Jamaica
10th.	Brigt. Betsy, George Fowler,	New-York
	Brigt. Nelly, James Webster,	Dover
	Sloop Elizabeth, Stafford Dickinson,	St. Kitts
	Sloop Hope, Nicholas Vallence,	Surrinham
11th.	Ship Countess of Dumfries, Robert Eson,	Glasgow
	Snow Le Despencer (Packet) C. W. Pond,	Falmouth
	Brigt. Friendship, John Lewis,	Quebec
	Scooner Little Dick, Robt. Harriss,	St. Eustatius
12th.	Brigt. Betsy, William Kinnier,	Glasgow
Dec.	Sailed.	*For*
9th.	Brigt. Success, Edmund Freeman,	Falmouth
	Scooner Two Brothers, A. Woodberry,	Salem
	Scooner Endeavour, George Ball,	Providence
	Sloop St. Augustine Pa. J. Wallace,	St. Augustine
	Sloop Suky & Nancy, Tho. Newbold,	Barbadoes
	Sloop Sally, William Martin,	St. Augustine
10th.	Ship Britannia, Sam. Ball, jun.	London
	Ship Laurens, Thomas Shurlock,	Lisbon
	Snow Chorley, Enoch Robinson,	Liverpool
	Brigt. Suky, Geo. Wm. Johnson,	Lisbon
	Sloop Paoli, Jer. Dickinson,	Hispaniola
12th.	Scooner Nancy, Thomas Bridges,	Cape-Fear
	Remain windbound or cleared.	*For*
	Ship Carolina Packet, John White,	London
	Ship Ulysses, James Wilson,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Fortune, John Copithorn,	George Town
	Brigt. Pitt, Joseph Everett,	Jamaica
	Sloop Experiment, John Sawyer,	Grenada
	Stay till between this and our next.	
	Ship Quero, Edward Rolland,	Cadiz
	Ship Lisbon, Roger Bartlett,	Gosport
	Brigt. Badger, Thomas Coward,	Oporto
	Brigt. Dominica Packet, Wm. Room,	Bristol
	Snow Swallow (Pack.) C. Wm. Copeland,	*Falmouth*
	Scooner Adventure, Clem. Conyers,	Antigua
	Sloop Experiment, John Stirrup,	Providence
	Entered out besides the above,	*For*
	Ship Clibborn, Wm. Thomas,	Bristol
	Ship London, Alexander Curling,	London
	Ship Milford, William Levitt,	Lisbon
	Ship Pitt, Joseph Cheesman,	Lisbon
	Ship George, Alex. Alexander,	Lisbon
	Ship Lillies, Hercules Angus,	Lisbon
	Ship Minerva, Robert Grinly,	Falmouth
	Ship Fair-American, Jos. Harrington,	Cowes
	Bark Hawke, John Coupland,	Cowes
	Snow Arabella, Robert Anderson,	Cadiz
	Brigt. Charming Jenny, Rich. Brewer,	Jamaica
	Brigt. Elizabeth, James Rankin,	Barcelona
	Brigt. Nelly, James Webster,	Oporto
	Brigt. Friendship, Tho. Newell,	Cadiz
	Sloop Two Friends, Will. Johnson,	Jamaica
	Stayt Cleared in part.	
	His Majesty's Sloop Tamar, C. Townbrough,	
	Ship Sally, Isaac Burton,	London
	Ship Anne, Patrick Miller,	
	Ship King George, John Teap,	Bristol
	Snow Kingston Pa. Wm. Mattocks,	N. Carolina
	Brigt. Jolliff, William Reed,	
	Brigt. Sebenia, Walter Clark,	
	Brigt. Leisure-Hour, Jos. Thomson,	Providence
	Brigt. Africa, James Clark,	
	Scooner Ch. Nancy, James Righton,	
	Scooner Cha. Pollly, Elias Ellery,	
	Scooner Cicely, Paul Preston,	
	Scooner Sar. & Cha. Town Pac. J. Turner,	Georgia
	Sloop Sarah, Edward Hinson,	
	Sloop Three Friends, Josiah Hunt,	
	Sloop Dove, Josiah Thacher,	Salem
	Sloop Sally, Joseph Craig,	
	Sloop Nancy, Richard Blake,	Cursol

In GENERAL COMMITTEE.

CHARLES-TOWN, *December* 8, 1774.

WHEREAS it is highly expedient, that the Inhabitants of this Colony who shall be engaged in transacting Public Business, should be entirely free from the Inconveniences of Arrests and the Service of Civil Process:—Therefore

RESOLVED, That no Person whosoever, coming to, attending, or returning from, a Meeting of the People, to be holden for the Purpose of electing Deputies, to be sent to the Provincial Meeting on the 11th Day of January next, nor the Deputies then to be chosen, shall be arrested, imprisoned, summoned, or otherwise molested, by any Civil Process, during their Attendance on the said Business, or from the Time that they shall leave their respective Homes, until their Return and Arrival at their several respective Places of Abode.

AND WHERAS the General Continental Congress have recommended, that Committees be appointed in the several Districts or Parishes, to see that the Resolutions agreed to in Congress, be carried into Execution: It is therefore further

RESOLVED, That the Benefit of the above Resolution be extended, to all such as shall be chosen Members of the several respective Committees.

RESOLVED, That every Person who shall violate the above Resolutions, shall be deemed an Enemy to this Country, and treated as such.

AND WHERRAS it has been represented to this Committee, that the Inhabitants of the Country, from the Beaver-Dams to the District-Line of Ninety-Six, along Saludy River, and to the Waters of Edisto, can have no Deputies at the ensuing General Meeting, according to the Resolutions entered into by the Committee on the 9th of November last: In order that the whole Colony may be as completely represented as possible,

RESOLVED, That the above-mentioned Limits be considered as a particular District, and that the Inhabitants thereof, properly qualified, do choose Six Deputies on the 19th Instant, to represent them, at the General Meeting to be holden in Charles Town, on the 11th Day of January next.

RESOLVED, That the Deputies to be chosen throughout the Country on the 19th Instant, and in Charles-Town the 9th of January next, be considered as a General Provincial Committee, duly elected, so to act immediately after the Dissolution of the present General Committee on 11th of January next.

ORDERED, That all the foregoing Resolutions be forthwith printed, and transmitted to the several Deputies on the present Committee, to be by them communicated to the Inhabitants of the several Parishes and Districts they respectively represent—and that they be also published in the Gazette.

By Order of the General Committee.
PETER TIMOTHY, *Secretary.*

In GENERAL COMMITTEE.

CHARLES-TOWN, *December* 12, 1774.

WHEREAS by a late Proclamation, prohibiting the Exportation of Gunpowder from Great-Britain, and many other Steps lately taken by the Ministry, it too plainly appears, that they have in View a Design of disarming the People of America, in order the more easily and speedily to dragoon and enslave them: We, the GENERAL COMMITTEE of this Colony, therefore think it absolutely necessary, as well for that as other prudential Reasons, to recommend to all such Persons as with any Convenience can, to provide themselves immediately with at least a Keg of 12½ Pounds, with a proportionable Quantity of Bullets.

By Order of the General Committee.
PETER TIMOTHY, *Secretary.*

New Advertisements.

The DRAWING & PAINTING ACADEMY,

(AS FORMERLY ADVERTISED)

WAS OPENED

On Wednesday *the* 23*d of* Nov. *last,*

By John & Hamilton Stevenson,

LIMNERS,

WHO propose to teach the Principles and Practice of this beautiful Art in all its various Branches, after the Manner they are taught in the Roman Schools, viz. Portrait, Landscape, Flowers, Birds, Figures and Drawing from the Bust and Statue, in a Stile never before taught in this Province; Painting from the Life in Crayons and in Miniature on Ivory; Painting on Silk, Satin, &c. Fan painting, together with the Art of working Designs in Hair upon Ivory, &c.

The great Importance of this Art to Ladies and Gentlemen, as a Branch of polite Education, and to Mechanicks, as an Assistant in their respective Employments, is well known to all who have any Taste for Drawing: An Evening Class will be opened for the latter, in which will be taught Planning, Architecture.

Private Attendance will be given at the Boarding Schools, and to such Ladies and Gentlemen as may find it inconvenient to attend the publick Classes.

Materials of every Kind and of the first Quality will be provided on the easiest Terms.

They Continue to paint, as usual, at their House in Meeting-Street, next Door to James Parsons, Esq; Historys and Portraits, Large, in Miniature for Rings & Bracelets; Family & Conversation Pieces; Designs of every Kind executed in Hair, and in Hair and Colours, in a manner never before attempted: Also Sewing with Hair upon Silk for Bracelets, a Method which preserves the Hair and Work to the latest Ages.

The better to accommodate their Employers and lessen the great Expence of framing, they have contracted with and brought out a *Carver* and *Gilder*, and frame Pictures, Prints, &c. at the London Prices: For the same Reason they have likewise brought out a *Jeweller*, for the Purpose of setting Miniature-Pictures, &c. upon the same Terms; they are both perfect in their Employments.

*** HAMILTON STEVENSON, has been employed for some Years of late, in the most distinguished Families at Home, as a Teacher of Drawing and Painting; he has acquired a Method of communicating that Art, that cannot fail of bringing on his Pupils in a Manner that will give the greatest Satisfaction to the Parents and Guardians of such as may be entrusted to their Care.

They intend to give a constant Place and Materials *gratis*, to any Two young Men of Genius that may be recommended by the Church-Wardens or the South-Carolina Society, the Place to be supplied by new Pupils every Year.

Charles Town, December 8, 1774.

THE Honourable the CHURCH-COMMISSIONERS, are hereby summoned to meet in the Council Chamber, on Friday the sixth Day of January next, at ten o'Clock in the Forenoon.

By Order of his Honour the Lieutenant Governor,
JAMES JOHNSON.

For LONDON,

THE SHIP

SALLY,

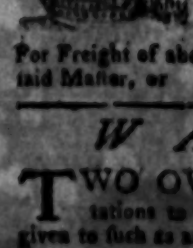
Isaac Burton, *Master.*

For Freight of about 300 Barrels of Rice, agree with the said Master, or MILES BREWTON.

WANTED,

TWO OVERSEERS for Rice Plantations to the Southward. Good Wages will be given to such as are well recommended.

Miles Brewton.



LONDON,

THE SHIP

HESTER,

Stephen Beeston, *Master.*

A New Ship, burthen about 1300 Barrels of Rice; half of her Cargo already engaged, and will be ready to take on board on Monday next. For Freight of the Remainder, or of Indico and Deer Skins, apply on

James Bentham & Co.
On Roswell's Wharf.

DECEMBER 8, 1774.

For *NEW-YORK,*

OR THE

WEST-INDIES,

THE BRIG

FRIENDSHIP,

John Lewis, Master.

For Freight or Passage, apply to said Master, or

Levinus Clarkson.

IMPORTED in said Vessel from QUEBEC, about Twenty HORSES, among which are some good Mares.

To be Chartered,

To any Part of the West-Indies,

THE SLOOP

DOVE,

lying at Brailsford's Wharf. Has part of her Cargo on board the said Sloop, and will be ready to take in the remainder on Monday next. For Freight or Passage, apply on board the said Sloop, or

JEREMIAH BROWER.

The SUBSCRIBER,
Acquaints the PUBLIC,

THAT at his Office in *Meeting-Street* (opposite to James Simpson, Esq) Merchants, Tradesmen, and others, may have their BOOKS brought up, with the utmost Dispatch; and, Persons entering into Business, have them opened and regulated, in a proper Manner.

All Accompts of Partnerships, Executors, Assignees, &c. clearly adjusted.

MONEY BORROWED, and LENT at Interest, without the least Expence to the Lender, or *any Premium from the Borrower*, except a moderate Commission.

*** Those Gentlemen who chuse to employ him in any Kind of Commission Business, may have undoubted Security, if required, and every Endeavour will be exerted to give Satisfaction. PHILIP HENRY.

To be Sold by private Contract,

A Valuable PLANTATION pleasantly seated in St. John's Parish, Berkley County, containing Nine Hundred and Fifty Acres, equal to any in that Parish for Corn, Rice, or Indico, with a large Quantity of Firewood convenient to a good Landing; the Buildings on the Premises are in tolerable good Order, particularly the Dwelling-House: This Plantation is bounded Eastwardly on Lands of Col. Laurens, and Part of Mr. David Guerrard's Land; Northwardly on Mr. Anthony Cordes's Land; West on the Parsonage; and Southwardly on Cooper-River. For Particulars, please to apply to PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE,

A Plantation in St. Thomas's Parish, about 8 Miles from Charles-Town, formerly the Property of the Revd. Mr. Hemell, containing Two Hundred and Eighty-five Acres; Part of which is fine Rice Land, the Rest good Corn Land. There is on said Plantation, a good Dwelling House, Barn, Out-House, &c. about 200 Yards from a good Landing, where a Scooner may load conveniently; at the Landing is a Brick Kiln, in good Order. Two or three Years Credit will be given. Apply to PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE,

A Tract of Land in Craven County, containing Three Hundred Acres, and bounding on Lynch's Creek, granted in 1737. *Also*, One Thousand Acres in Granville County, near Savannah River, below the Three Runs, granted in 1755. For further Particulars, please to apply to PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE,

A TRACT of LAND, containing One Hundred and Seventy Acres, on the Sea Shore, in the Parish of St. James, Santee, adjoining Land of Messrs. Nathan Legard, Lewis Morton, and Daniel M'Gregor; one Half of which is fit for the Culture of Indico, Corn, &c. and the Whole remarkably well timbered with Pine and Firewood; the farthest Part of it not more than Half a Mile from a Landing.

Also, One Hundred Acres adjoining the above said Lands of said Nathaniel Legard, and Daniel M'Gregor, and bounding on the Sea Shore, having a Landing thereby not more than Half a Mile from the extreme Part of it; this Tract is also well timbered, and fit for Rice, Corn, or Indico; they will be sold together or separate. For Terms, apply to PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE by private Contract,

A Tract of Land, containing One Thousand Two Hundred Acres on the Head Branches of Bear-Bee Dam Creek, a Branch of Thickettee Creek, the Waters of Broad River. Apply to PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE,

FOUR Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, near the Boundary Line of Orangeburg Township, on a Branch of Edisto River, known by the Name of Bull's Pond Swamp; and Three Hundred Acres in Williamsburgh Township, joining Lands of Robert Reache, Daniel and John Deville, and James Pierre. The Purchaser may have a long Credit, paying Interest, and giving Security, if required. PHILIP HENRY.

To be SOLD,

A Tract of LAND, containing 300 Acres, on the South Side of Coosawhatchie Creek, bounding East by Mr. Drayton's Land; on other Sides by vacant Land, at the Time of the original Grant. PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE,

A Valuable Tract of LAND, containing Four Hundred Acres, situated in Williamsburgh Township; bounding to the South-west upon Black-River; and on other Sides by respectable Neighbours:—This Land was granted to John Bisset, in 1734, and reckoned as good Land as any in the Township. The Purchaser may have One or Two Years Credit.

Also, A LOT in said Township, containing Half an Acre; known in the Plan of the said Township by the (No. 5.) bounding South-west upon the Bay. For Particulars, please to apply to PHILLIP HENRY.

For private SALE,

A YOUNG NEGRO WOMAN, as compleat a House Wench as any in the Province, a good plain Cook, and can work exceeding well at her Needle; she is very good tempered, and remarkably sensible; strong and healthy, has but one particular Fault, which will be candidly communicated to the Purchaser, and which in many Family's would not be noticed.

For SALE very Cheap,

A Lot of Land up the Path, opposite to Mr. *John Watsse's*, containing in Front Seventy-five Feet, and in Depth Two Hundred Feet. Apply to PHILIP HENRY.

Also, Three Hundred Acres of Land in St. Thomas's Parish, bounding North-West on Samuel Wells's Land and South-West on Elias Wigfall's Land. On this Tract is an exceeding good Saw-Mill just built. For further Particulars please to apply to PHILIP HENRY.

To be SOLD together or separate,

UPWARDS of One Hundred Lots of LAND in *Orangeburgh* Township: On some of these Lots are good Dwelling-houses newly built; they will be sold very cheap for CASH or short Credit.

Four Tracts of Land in *Amelia* Township, viz. One of 500 Acres; One of 450; One of 100; and One of 50 Acres. The two latter Tracts join, and are contiguous to the Road; through which there is a commodious Approach to a House, that at present is used as a Store.

Four valuable Tracts of Land on *Santee* River; One of 1000 Acres, chiefly fine Swamp Land; One of 600; and Two of 150 Acres each. These last four Tracts are extraordinary good Land.

Also, Two Tracts of Land in the *Long-Cane* Settlement; One of 400 Acres; the other 300. For Particulars, apply to PHILIP HENRY.

For private SALE,

A TRACT of LAND, containing Two Hundred and Fifty Acres in St. *Mark's Parish*, on the Branches of *Dutchman's-Creek*, *Waters of Wateree-River*, bounding North and North-easterly on Land belonging to *George Pair*; North-westwardly and South-westwardly on Mr. *Kershaw's* Land.

Also, Five Hundred Acres of LAND on *Kelsey's-Creek*, on Branches of *Fair-Forrest*. For Particulars, please to apply to PHILIP HENRY.

To be Sold by private Contract,

A FLATT, Scooner rigged, will carry Twenty Chords of Wood, about three Years old, and built of the best of Live-Oak and three Inch Pine Plank, with Anchor, Cables, Sails, &c. fit for immediate Service, now lying at *Gaillard's* new Wharf, near the Fish-Market. For Particulars, enquire of Benjamin Lord, at the Fort near the Governor's-Bridge, or of PHILLP HENRY.

For SALE,

THREE Hundred Acres of LAND on the East Side of the Catawba-River in Craven County, is very conveniently situated for a Store, being about Thirty Miles from Camden, and nearly adjacent to two Roads: This Tract is in the very Center of the Waxaw's Settlement. Please to apply to PHILIP HENRY.

ALL Persons indebted to Noah Bent, late of Charles-Town, Carpenter, deceased, are desired to discharge their Accompts immediately; and those who have Demands, to make them known to the Subscriber. *For the Administratrix*, PHILLIP HENRY.

To be Sold by private Sale,

A Plantation or Tract of LAND, on the Cypress Swamp, containing Six Hundred Acres, adjoining Lands of William Sanders, John Izard, and Elijah Postell, Esquires; nearly one Half is exceeding good Swamp, through which a Drain is almost completed, and will render it as safe and valuable as most inland Swamps in the Province:—The high Land is good for Corn, Indico, &c.—and has on it an Overseer's-House, Barn, Corn-House, and other necessary Buildings.

Two or Three Years Credit will be given:—For further Particulars, please to apply, to PHILIP HENRY.

For SALE,

TWENTY-TWO young and healthy NEGROES, that have been used to a Plantation; the Property of a Gentleman declining the Planting-Interest.—One-third of the Purchase-Money will be expected in six Months; and, for the Remainder, an extensive Credit will be given. PHILIP HENRY.

For *SALE*,

Seven NEGROES;

Chiefly COUNTRY-BORN.

PHILIP HENRY.

For *SALE*,

Two Lots, in *Harleston*, viz.

NUMB. 20.—Two Hundred and Twelve and an Half Feet from East to West on Wentworth-Street, in Front; in Depth, from North to South, on Smith-Street, 121 Feet and four Inches; butting and bounding to the Southward on Wentworth-Street; to the Northward on Lot (No. 30.) to the Westward on Lot (No. 54.) and to the Eastward on Smith-Street.

Lot (No. 30.) from North to South in Front on Smith-Street, 121 Feet and four Inches; in Depth, from East to West 121 Feet and 6 Inches; bounding to the Southward on Lot (No. 29.) to the Northward on Lot (No. 31.) to the Westward on Lot (No. 53.) and to the Eastward on Smith-Street. PHILIP HENRY.

INDICO,

Purchased in any QUANTITY,

AND Orders given for the Payment thereof, upon as good and punctual Merchants as are in Charles-Town. JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

LISBON WINE,

JUST arrived, of an extraordinary Quality; West-India and Jamaica Rum, fit for present Use; Madera, Vidonia, Port, and Malmsey Wines; Coffee, short Pipes, Bristol Beer, and Hot-Well Water to be sold by JOHN SMYTH & Co.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

OCTOBER SESSIONS, 1774.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize, and General Goal-Delivery, begun and holden at *Charles-Town*, on *Tuesday* the 18th Day of *October*, Instant,

George-Abbot Hall,	William Jenkins,
James Stanyarne,	Abraham Hayne, and
Jacob Valk,	John-V. Marginhoff,

Being duly summoned and returned, to serve as GRAND-JURORS; and,

William Price,	Jonathan Fabian,
Charles Prince,	George Porter,
Thomas Josl,	William Stead, jun.
William Jenkins,	John Gerley,

As PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

This is to give Notice,

That the former will be fined in the Sum of *Ten Pounds*, and the latter, in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, Proclamation Money each, unless they shall make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, by the Third Tuesday in February next.

James Johnston, C. C. & P.

Crown-Office, *October* 18, 1774.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WHEREAS at a Court of *Common Pleas*, begun and holden at *Charles-Town*, on *Tuesday* the 11th Day of *October*, 1774,

Isaac Lesesne, jun.	Clement Lampeiere,
William Mazyck,	Peter Mouzon,
William Moultrie,	Zach. Villepontoux,
Samuel Bonneau,	Robert Cattell,
Edward Harleston,	Abraham Ladson,

Being duly summoned and returned to serve as JURORS at the said Court, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

Notice is hereby given,

That they will be fined in the Sum of Five Pounds *Proclamation Money of America each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the* Pleas-Office *in* Charles-Town, *by the 4th Day of* January, 1775.

James Trail, *C. C. P.*

Pleas-Office, October 12th, 1774.

ROBERT MUNCREEF,

At his Store in *Elliott-Street*,

Has to DISPOSE *of*,

JAMAICA, West-India and Northward Rum, by the Hogshead, Quarter Cask, or any Quantity not less than three Gallons; Madera particular Wine, Ditto inferior, red Port, Lisbon and Sherry in Bottles, by the Dozen, very good; Parker's best bottled Porter by the Dozen, or Cask of six Dozen each; Brandy by the Gallon; *Also*, best Muscovado Sugar, and Coffee of an extraordinary Quality.

All Orders punctually attended to; and he will be much obliged to his Friends for their Commands, who may depend on being served in the best Manner, and on the most reasonable Terms.

TO BE SOLD, Cheap,

A Likely young NEGRO MAN, who has been used to attend on a Family, and can take Care of Horses; he is sold for no Fault, the Owner having no Occasion for him. The Purchaser may have twelve Months Credit, paying the Interest, and giving proper Security. Apply to PETER BOUNETHEAU.

To be SOLD, *a great Bargain*,

By PRIVATE CONTRACT,

STORES, built with Brick, in excellent Order, adjoining those of John Beale, Esq; on the Wharf opposite to Elliott-street, which will hold about Two Thousand Five Hundred Barrels of Rice, with a large Loft, fit for a Sail-Maker.——The whole will be sold for less than Four Years and a Quarter's Purchase.—For further Particulars, enquire of PETER BOUNETHEAU.

RUN AWAY,

From the Subscriber's Plantation, in St. Andrew's Parish, on the 28th October *Instant*,

Two NEW NEGROES,

FROM the Grain Coast, viz.—A Fellow, named Brutus, about 19 Years of Age, he has a Swelling on the upper Part of left Wrist, is likely, and about five Feet six Inches high:—The other a Wench, named Belinda, about 20 Years of Age; has her Country Marks on her Body, and one of her fore Teeth out; they both had Negro Cloth and Osnaburgs Cloaths.—They went away with five or six Wenches, of the same Cargo, belonging to Mr. Thomas Eveleigh, who had each of them one of their fore Teeth out.——Whoever takes up, and delivers the said Negroes to me, or the Overseer of the Work-house, in Charles-Town, or to my Overseer in St. Andrew's Parish, shall receive a Reward of Five Pounds Currency for each, with reasonable Charges. ROGER PINCKNEY.

Supplement to the South-Carolina GAZETTE.

[NUMB. 2023.] MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1774

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by PETER TIMOTHY, Printer to the Honourable the COMMONS HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

MEY & CRIPPS

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,
By the Way of LIVERPOOLE,
An *ASSORTMENT*
OF
Manchester GOODS;

Amongſt which are the following.

A QUANTITY of CHECKS, of different Breadths, Handkerchiefs of all Sizes; Cottons for Negroes Gowns; Marſeilles Petticoating; a large Aſſortment of Men and Womens Silk, Thread, Cotton, and Worſted Hoſe, Yarn Ditto; three and four Thread Worſted Breeches Patterns, of different Colours; Gartering, Bed Lace, Shirt Buttons; Pound, Ounce, and Oſnabrugs Thread; Taylors and Nankeen Ditto, Silk Damaſcus, black and coloured ſewing Silk and Twiſt; dyed Thickſets, Pillows and Jeanets, Cor-du-Roys, of various Colours; plain and figured Dimity, white Jeans; 3-4, 10-4, and 11-4 Cotton Counterpanes; a large Quantity of Men and Boys coarſe Hats, &c.—Which, with their former Stock of Goods, they will diſpoſe of, on reaſonable Terms, at their Store in Broad-ſtreet. 6w.

Joſeph DeLabeaume,

Surgeon Dentiſt from Paris, in France,
Takes this Method to inform the PUBLIC,

THAT he is juſt arrived in this Place to ſettle and follow his Buſineſs. Any Gentlemen or Ladies who have a Deſire to have natural or artificial Teeth fixed in the Room of bad Ones, may be fully ſatisfied by applying to him, their Teeth cleanſed in a moſt agreeable Manner, and the Scurvy cured in a few Days.

Charles-Town, November 23d, 1774.

N. B. Enquire at Mr. THOMAS EUSTACE's in *King-Street*, the Sign of the BUCK.

Mr. William Roberts,

Intending to decline Buſineſs at the Expiration of the preſent Year,

Roberts, Taylor, & Co.

GIVE NOTICE,

THAT they will ſell off their Stock on Hand, conſiſting of moſt Articles uſually imported into this Province, at a very *low Advance* for *Caſh*, or a *ſhort Credit.*

There being an abſolute Neceſſity for ſettling Mr. ROBERTS's Affairs, they requeſt all Perſons indebted to them, to pay off their reſpective Debts, that the Monies may be remitted this Crop.

RICE and INDICO at the Market Price, taken in Payment.

To be LET,

And may be entered upon immediately,

THE Subſcriber's Houſe in Elliott-ſtreet, the Corner of Gadſden's-Alley, having Cellars under the Houſe and Kitchen, with every other Convenience for a large Family. For further Particulars, apply to JOHN-PAUL GRIMKE.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the BRITANNIA, *Capt.* BALL, *from* LONDON, *and to be ſold by the PACKAGE, at a moderate Advance,*

SEVERAL Cheſts of well-aſſorted LINEN DRAPERY;—India Grogram, and Taffaties;—A ſmall Aſſortment of new-faſhioned Manchester Velvets, Velveret, and other Manchester Goods, from their Manufacturers.

A ſmall Aſſortment of HOSIERY;—Some Anchors, and a very genteel faſhionable CHARIOT, not new, but very little the Worſe for Uſe.

The Invoices may be ſeen, and Terms of Sale known, by applying at the Houſe of Mr. *John M'Call*, jun. in Elliott-ſtreet, to SAMUEL CARNE.

Wild Indigo SEED,

To be SOLD,
By JOHN G. GUIGNARD.

STRAYED (the 7th of October laſt) from the Paſture of Mr. Starnes, at the Iriſh Church, a dark bay GELDING, about 15½ Hands high; branded on the mounting Buttock AG joining, and is riſing 7 Years next Spring.—Whoever will return him to me, in *King*-ſtreet, oppoſite the Old Goal, or to Mr. *Lamblin Martin*, on the Bay, near the Exchange, ſhall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward. THOMAS McCLELLAN.

JAMES McGOWAN tells an old brown bay MARE, Thirteen Hands and an half high, has an obſcure Brand on the near Shoulder, and on the Buttock qH I. the qH in one.—The Owner may prove his Property before DAVID GIROUD, J. P.

Parrſborgh, October 31ſt, 1774.

Prince Frederick's Pariſh, October 21, 1774.

EDMOND CARR, informs me of a Black GELDING, about 12 Hands high, paces a little, both hind Feet white, branded on the Mounting Shoulder thus I. Nine Years Old, the owner muſt prove his Property before WILLIAM WILSON, J. P.

A FEW QUINTALS OF *TABLE-FISH,*

To be SOLD,
By SIMON TUFTS.

Wanted immediately,

THREE or four NEGRO Carpenters, to work at a Plantation about 20 Miles from *Charles-Town*, For Particulars, enquire of the Printer.

ALEXANDER INGLIS,

GIVES this *Public Notice*, to all thoſe indebted to him, that he has removed his Counting-Houſe to the Bay, next Door to Mr. *Wells's*, where he intreats them to call and ſettle to his Satisfaction, without Delay. *Charles-Town, Nov. 21, 1774.*

Wanted on Purchaſe, for Ready Money,

A NEGRO MAN, who underſtands driving a Carriage, and the Management of Horſes;—*Alſo*, a good COOK, either Fellow or Wench; and a GIRL, 12 or 14 Years of Age, who has been brought up to the Needle.—Good Prices will be paid for ſuch as will be warranted free from Faults. Apply at *Timothy's* Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

THE airy Houſe wherein the Subſcriber now lives, pleaſantly ſituate on *White-Point*, and from which he will remove in about 14 Days, is TO BE SOLD. The Purchaſer, if he deſires it, may have Two or Three Years Credit, paying Intereſt. Apply to THOMAS SAVAGE.

Thoſe Gentlemen and Ladies,

THAT are inclined to ſee the View of CHARLES-TOWN, lately taken by Mr. LEECH, may now have an Opportunity to do ſo, any Day in the Week (except Sundays) till Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at his Houſe in Meeting-ſtreet, oppoſite the Surveyor-General's Office.

Wanted, to Purchaſe or Hire,

(For a Term of Years)

A LOT of LAND in Charles-Town, any where in King-ſtreet, between the Sign of the Croſs-Keys and Hatfield's Tavern;—it is immaterial which Side of the Street it is on.—For further Particulars, apply to PETER BOUNETHEAU.

Two ELEGANT Steel-mounted FIRE-GRATES,

With Fenders, Shovels and Tongs, complete;—and a few plain GRATES, to be ſold at *Coſt* and *Charges*, for *ready Money* only.—A Variety of plain and ſtriped CAMBLETS, exceeding good Colours;—Perſian Carpets, one a large Size,—with a general Aſſortment of FRESH WINTER GOODS, to be had at my Store, oppoſite the Exchange. WILLIAM DOUGHTY.

NEWMARKET, *October 5th*, 1774.

STRAYED or STOLEN, out of Mr. JAMES STRICKLAND's Paſture, a bright bay GELDING, about 13 Hands high, with a particular Mark of a white Spot on his right Flank, and branded WE in one, on the mounting Shoulder; a natural Trotter, and is very clumſey in his Gate.—A Reward of TWO DOLLARS, will be given, to any Perſon that will deliver ſaid Horſe to Mr. *Strickland*, or to me, at Stead's Creek, in St. George's Pariſh. ANDREW HAULL.

JAMES PURCELL,

Has imported, by Captain ALEXANDER CURLING,

A QUANTITY of Parker's bottled and Barrel PORTER, which he will ſell reaſonably for Caſh.

He has a good little HORSE, to diſpoſe of.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On *Wedneſday* the 14th of *December*,
At the Houſe of Mr. William Stevens, in Combahee,

ALL the Eſtate of Mr. *William Freeman*, deceaſed, conſiſting of one Negro Girl, three valuable Riding Horſes, a good Watch, his wearing Apparel, and ſundry Houſhold-Goods.—The Conditions of the Sale are, all Sums under 10l. Caſh; and all at or above, Credit 'till the 1ſt of January 1776, paying Intereſt and giving approved Security, if required;—The Property not to be altered 'till the Conditions are complied with. JAMES FREEMAN, *Adminiſtrator.*

All Perſons having any Demands on the Eſtate, are deſired to deliver in Accompts, atteſted;—and thoſe any wiſe indebted, to ſettle by the Day of Sale.

THERE is a Vacancy for ſchooling a Child by the SOUTH-CAROLINA SOCIETY.

Samuel Prioleau, Clerk.

To be Sold at Public Vendue,

On *Thurſday* the 29th of *Dec.* Inſt.
At MONCK's-CORNER,
The following Tracts of Land,
VIZ.

A TRACT, containing about 550 Acres, in St. John's Pariſh, very pleaſantly ſituated on the South Side of Santee River (known by the Name of Bennet's-Bluff,) bounding by Lands of Blake-Leay White, Job Marion, and Ralph Izard, Eſqrs. and oppoſite to Lands of Mr. Gaillard;—This Tract is upwards of 40 Chains Front on the River, one Part of which is a high Bluff on the River, of good Oak and Hickory Land; and the other Part River Swamp, with Plenty of good Cypreſs on it; the Back Lands are a low Cane Land; the Soil a blue Clay, very good for Rice, has great Plenty of good white, red, and Water Oaks, and plenty of good Hoop-Poles.

One other Tract (about one Mile from the former) containing 800 Acres, bounding on Lands of ſaid Job Marion, Blake-Leay White, and Peter Contuſſet;—Part of which is good Oak and Hickory Land, and will make a good Indico and Corn Plantation (as there is Plenty of wild Indico growing on the Land) and has a good Run of Water through the Tract;—The other Part good Pine Land, with Plenty of good Lightwood.

Alſo, One other Tract of 400 Acres, in St. Mark's Pariſh, on the High Hills of Santee, near Mr. John James, very good Oak and Hickory Land, with ſeveral good Springs.

One or two Years Credit will be given, paying Intereſt, and giving good Security.——Plats of the above Lands, may be ſeen in the Hands of *Henry Ravenell*, Eſquire, in Charles-Town, or in St. John's Pariſh, with JAMES RAVENEL.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

At MONCK's-CORNER,
On *Thurſday* the 29th of *Dec.* Inſt.
The following Tracts of Land,
VIZ.

A PLANTATION or Tract, containing about 800 Acres of Land, very pleaſantly ſituated on the South Side of Santee River, in St. John's Pariſh, lying between Lands of Meſſrs. Job Marion, and John Cook;—the Front on the River is one Part a High Bluff of good Oak and Hickory Land, and the other Part about 200 Acres of River Swamp Land; both of which are well ſtocked with Oak Timber of all Kinds; the back Lands are one Part Inland Swamp of about a Mile in Length, running thro' one Side of the Tract, and has plenty of good Cypreſs and Ash Timber, and the other Part a mixt Pine and Oak Land;—there is about 60 or 70 Acres of the Oak and Hickory Land cleared; On which is an Overſeer's Houſe, and ſome Out-houſes.

One other Tract of 330 Acres on the North Side of Santee River, directly oppoſite the above Tract, very good high Indico Land; about 50 or 60 Acres of which has been cleared and planted.

Alſo, One other Tract of 300 Acres, old Meaſure, ſituate in St. John's Pariſh, Berkley County; bounding on Lands of Meſſrs. John Frierſon, and John Benoiſt; Part of which is very good Indico and Corn Land, with a good Run of Water; and the Remainder good Pine Land, with ſome Lightwood.

The Conditions are, one Year's Credit, with Intereſt, and good Security;—Plats of the above Lands may be ſeen in the Hands of *James Ravenell*, in St. John's Pariſh, or in Charles-Town, with HENRY RAVENEL.

ABSENTED himſelf from the Subſcriber, on *Saturday* the 29th of Nov. BOB, a Mulatto Fellow; upwards of 6 Feet high; thin Viſage, knock-knee'd; a Scar on one of his Legs, occaſioned by the Cut of an Axe; his Hair lately cut off, aged about 45.—He was formerly the Property of Capt. *Allen*; is remarkably artful and ingenious; will endeavour to paſs for a free Man, and attempt to leave the Province, or get to the Back Parts, and follow the Buſineſs of a Tanner, Shoemaker, Saddler, Carpenter or Wheelwright.—All Perſons are hereby cautioned againſt him;—Whoever delivers him to the Warden of the Work-Houſe in Charles-Town, or to any of the Country Goals, ſhall be rewarded agreeable to the Caſe, by ROBERT JOHNSTON, in St. Thomas's Pariſh.

Said Fellow went away in April, aſſumed the Name of Robert Akins; was committed to Saliſbury Goal, in North-Carolina, from whence he was brought in September, for which he now carries Marks on his Back.

To be Sold by public Vendue,

At the Plantation belonging to the Eſtate of the late Mr. Nicholas Swinderſhine, *at* STONO,

On *Thurſday* the 26th of *Dec.* Inſt.

PART of the Eſtate of the ſaid Deceaſed, conſiſting of a few SLAVES; among which is, a good Blackſmith, and a Parcel of Tools belonging to the ſaid Buſineſs, a Billiard-Table, and a few Houſhold-Furniture.

ANNE-CHRISTIANA SWINDERSHINE, *Executrix.*

George-Town RACES,

ARE ſuſpended, in Conſequence of the Proceedings of the General Congreſs; of which all Parties concerned, are deſired to take Notice.

The SUBSCRIBER,

Takes the Liberty of acquainting the Public,

THAT his OFFICE is removed from *Queen-Street*, to Mr. SIMON TUPPS Room, in *Broad-street*, directly opposite to ROGER SMITH, Esquire, and next Door to Messrs. DEWAR and BACOT.

PETER BOUNETHEAU.

Who has to dispose of, at the Cost and Charges, a very elegant FIRE-GRATE, of Princes Metal.

To be Sold by private Contract,

The following LOTS of Land,

For the Whole, or any Part of which, a reasonable Credit will be given.

FOUR Hundred Acres about ten Miles below Orangeburg, on Edisto-River, originally granted to Nicholas Thorn, mostly good Indigo Land.

One Hundred Acres on Turkey Creek, a Branch of Stephen's Creek, not far from Augusta; Indico, Tobacco, and Wheat Land.

Four Hundred Acres in the Fork of Congaree and Wateree River, near the Raft, all good Oak and Hickory Land, lately Timothy Kelley's.

One Hundred Acres on the Branch of Cannon's Creek, between Broad and Saludy Rivers, fit for Indico, Tobacco or Wheat.

Four Acres at the Ridge, having thereon a Dwelling-House, Store, and Tanyard.

Two Hundred Acres on Savannah Bluff, adjoining Fort Moore, granted to Henry Curl, said to be a good Place for a Store.

Fifty Acres in the Fork of Broad and Saludy River, a good Mill-Seat, granted to Matthias Bricles; good Land.

One Hundred Acres on a Branch of Bush-Creek, having a good Dwelling House, and about Forty Acres under Fence.

Fifty Acres on Eleazer Creek, in the Fork of Broad and Saluda Rivers.

Two Hundred and Fifty Acres on Rayburn-Creek, Saludy River, granted to Daniel Allen; fine Oak and Hickory Land.

Fifty Acres joining the above, granted to Isaac Lewis.

One Hundred Acres called Spring Field, on which is a good House, Store, &c.

Two Hundred Acres near the above, granted to William Coats.

One Hundred Acres granted to John Furnass, on which is a House, &c.

One Hundred Acres on the South Side of Saludy River, granted to James Pierce.

Fifty Acres joining the above, granted to John Milhouse.

Persons desirous of purchasing any of the above Lands may apply to WILLIAM ANCRUM, & AARON LOOCOCK.

MONCK's CORNER.

GEORGE READHEAD, having purchased from Messrs. DAWSON & WALTER their Stock of Goods at this Place, and having received by the last Vessels from LONDON and BRISTOL, a neat Assortment, suitable to the Place and Season, begs leave to solicit the Customers of that Store for their Favours to him, assuring them he will pay a strict Attention to their Orders, and that he will serve them on the most reasonable Terms.

N. B. He will keep a constant Supply of Jamaica, West India and Northward Rums, Wine, Sugar, Salt, &c.

RUN-AWAY,

On the 28th of MAY *last*,

A Negro MAN, named PRIMUS,

About five Feet seven Inches high, well set, of a lightish Complexion, bushy Hair, a sly Countenance, has his right Wrist crooked, occasioned by some Bruise or Sore, speaks very good English, and can read; he was born at a Place called *Dawsing-Creek*, near *North-Carolina*, where he is supposed to be gone and harboured, by some white Person. Whosoever will apprehend and deliver him to the Warden of the Work-house, or Mr *Henry Hughes*, at Santee, shall have TWENTY POUNDS Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid, by WILLIAM JOHNSON.

The Subscribers Give Notice,

THAT their Co-partnership will, by mutual Consent, expire at the End of this Year. And, in order to make a speedy Settlement of their Affairs (neither of the Parties intending to continue Business) they will SELL OFF very low, for *Ready Money*,

Their valuable Stock of Goods;

Which consists of a LARGE ASSORTMENT, laid in on *the very best Terms*: And will also sell, *for Credit* to good Customers, such Articles as they may have for Sale, but decline buying out Goods from other Stores.

☞ Any Persons purchasing to a considerable Amount, may be supplied very reasonably, provided the Terms of Payment are agreeable; and the larger the Purchase, the lower the Goods will be sold.

*** They earnestly request all those whose Accounts will become due in *January*, to make early Payment, or settle to their Satisfaction:——And those Persons, whose Accounts have been long due, must not expect any further Indulgence.

Hawkins, Petrie, & Co.

STRAYED or STOLEN,

From the SUBSCRIBER last APRIL,

A Black GELDING, 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock IC. Whoever will deliver the said Horse to JOHN CROSKEYS at *Pompion*, or to JOHN TAYLOR at *Indian Land*, shall receive a Reward of FIVE POUNDS Currency.

ALL Persons having any Demands against the Estate of Mr. ARTHUR PERONNEAU, late of *Charles-Town*, deceased, are requested to deliver them in, properly attested, to

HENRY PERONNEAU, *Executor*.

October 31*st*, 1774.

GENERAL POST-OFFICE, CHARLES-TOWN,

September 1, 1774.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT MAILS will be made up at this Office every *Monday Evening* at *Eight* o'Clock, for *Jacksonburgh*, *Beaufort* and *Pocotaligo*, in this Province, and *Savannah* in Georgia: And the Mails from the said Places will arrive here on Sunday Evening, so that the Letters may be ready to be delivered at this Office on *Monday Morning* at *Nine* o'Clock.

The Mails by His MAJESTY'S PACKET-BOATS from *Falmouth* for *Georgia* and *East-Florida*, will be sent by the first Post after their Arrival at this Office, and the Mails for East-Florida will, immediately on their Arrival at the Office in Savannah, be dispatched to St. Augustine by an Express, who will bring back the Mails for *Great-Britain*, *Georgia*, *South-Carolina* and the *Northern Provinces*.

GEORGE ROUPELL,
Deputy Post-Master-General, for the Southern District of NORTH-AMERICA.

GEORGE COOKE & Co.

FINDING it absolutely necessary to settle their Affairs in a short Time, they therefore

Give this Public Notice,

That all Bonds, Notes, and open Accounts, due from the First of January last, will positively be put into the Hands of an Attorney at Law, if not settled on or before the First of November next. (1 m)

RED and White PORT;—dry and sweet Sherry;—dry and sweet Mountain; *Madera*, of different Qualities;—*Lisbon*, *Calcavella*, *Teneriffe*, very rich *Malaga* Sack;—Frontiniac, Claret, and old Hock.

A L S O,

Old *Jamaica* RUM;—BRANDY, CYDER, PORTER, and best Velvet CORKS, to be SOLD at *moderate Prices*, by

tf. EDMUND HEAD.

STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Plantation of Mr. *John Holloway*, at the *Cherraws*, about the latter End of *April* or Beginning of *May* last, a bright bay GELDING, fourteen Hands high, rising six Years old, a small Star in his Forehead, the Inside of the near hind Foot near the Hoof white, a grey Trail, branded on the mounting Shoulder M, in Circle. Any Person taking up and delivering said Horse to Mr. *William Allston*, *William Henry Mills*, Esq; or Mr. *John Holloway*, at the *Cherraws*, or to me in *George-Town*, shall receive TEN POUNDS Currency Reward, and all reasonable Charges; and if proved to be stolen, TWENTY POUNDS like Money, will be paid, on Conviction of the Offender.

WILLIAM MASON.

GEORGE-TOWN, *July* 9, 1774.

The undermentioned STRAYS have been tolled before me, viz.

A Sorrel MARE, about 13 ½ Hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder IR, and mounting Buttock W; a few white Hairs in her Forehead —Tolled by JAMES JENKINS.

A grey GELDING, about 14 Hands high, branded on the off Buttock AL:—And a black GELDING, about 11 ½ Hands high, a Star in his Forehead, branded on the mounting Shoulder I+.—Tolled by WILLIAM ALLSTON. *And*,

A dark brown bay GELDING, about 12 ½ Hands high, trots, branded on the mounting Shoulder and Buttock M, and a Stroke from the Side, which makes it look like a 7 and an M joined.—Tolled by JAMES GRIER.

The Owners of the above Strays, must apply to, and prove their Property before me, at George-Town.

Oct. 8, 1774. WILLIAM MASON, J. P.

A Grey GELDING, about 14 Hands and an Half high, some English Blood, very round made, but somewhat Cat-hammed, trots and gallops very slow, has a blackish Spot on his Back, occasioned by the Gall of a Saddle, he has likewise a very remarkable Set of Hoofs, being much like those of a Mule, but larger. Whoever will deliver the above Gelding to EDWARD HARLESTON, near Strawberry, or to THOMAS CORBETT, Merchant in Charles-Town, shall receive a Reward of *Fifteen Pounds* Currency, or upon Conviction of the Thief *Fifty Pounds* Currency, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN HARLESTON, jun.

CHARLES-TOWN, *October* 24, 1774.

MR. LEONARD ASBREW, informs me of the following STRAYS, viz.—A black Mare, no white Spot on her, aged, branded on the off Buttock P.

A roan MARE, seven Years old, branded on the off Shoulder GP.

A sorrel STALLION COLT, about four Years old, thirteen Hands high, a Blaze in his Forehead, has neither Brand or Dot.

A dark bay COLT, two Years old, a little white down his Face, about 12 Hands high, has neither Brand or Dot.—The Owners may prove their Property, before me. JOHN CORAM.

THOMAS BALLOW, of Rampit, informs me of a sorrel pacing GELDING, shod before, with a white down his Face, fourteen Hands high, branded on the Shoulder and Thigh of the mounting Side D, and supposed to be about 14 Years old.——The Owner may prove his Property before

WILLIAM WILSON, J. P.

September 15, 1774.

To be Hired out, by the Month,

A SOBER, remarkably honest, and handy HOUSE-WENCH, good-natured, and fond of attending Children. Enquire at *Timothy*'s Printing-Office, on the Bay near the Exchange.

OUR Co-Partnership being now expired, we are desirous of bringing all our Concerns in Trade to a speedy and final Settlement, and therefore *Give this public Notice*, in the three Gazettes of this *Province*, that all Bonds, Notes, and Book-Debts due to us, which shall not be discharged, or settled to our Satisfaction, on or before the *Tenth* Day of *March* next, will then be positively put in Suit, without Distinction.

☞ Those who know their Engagements to be above two Years standing, cannot expect any further Indulgence after that Day.

DAVID DEAS,
JOHN DEAS.

*** Good RICE and INDICO will be taken in Payment, at the Market Price.

William & James Carsan,

HAVE IMPORTED,

In the Britannia, *Capt.* Ball, *from* LONDON,

Their Winter Supply of Goods:

Among which are,

A GREAT VARIETY of rich Brocades, India and English Damasks; plain and sprigged Sattins; Sattin clouded and brocaded Lutestrings; Half-Ell Mantuas, striped Ditto; Ditto with Sattin and Cord; several Sets of Table China; rich brocade Hippen; Rupie Ditto, with Roses; Lasting and Callimanco Pumps, with French Heels; super-fine Broad Cloths; elegant Fire-Grates, Marble Slabs, Wilton Carpets, and Floor-Cloths; Cartouch-Boxes, and Leather Powder Flasks, &c. to be SOLD on their *usual Terms*.

THE Subscriber will sell at private Sale, his valuable Plantation in St. John's Parish, Berkley County, containing upwards of 1500 Acres of Land, about 350 whereof is prime Rice Land, 100 of which, or thereabouts, is uncleared, with two good Reserve Dams; about 230 Acres of as good Indico or Provision Land as need be planted, as the Crops of Rice, Corn, Peas, &c. produced therefrom the present Year, will evince; the Remainder of the Tract is Pine Land, whereon is great Plenty of the best Timber for all Kinds of Plantation Uses. On the Premises is a Two-Story House, the Frame whereof is entirely of Cypress, and with a little Repair, would make a very good Dwelling House, and large enough for any Family; a new Barn, and perhaps as complete a one as any in the Province, the Dimensions Sixty-four Feet by Thirty-eight, with a new Pounding Machine, that works in the Barn; Seven double Negro Houses, all framed on Cills, weather boarded, &c. with other necessary Buildings, a good Garden, a young Orchard of choice Fruit Trees, &c. &c.

The above Plantation is seven Miles from *Monck's Corner*, about four Miles from the Church, and the same Distance from *Watboo* Landing, and adjoins *Watboo* Barony. The Person purchasing, may have Possession as soon as the present Crop is beat out. The Purchase Money is not wanted, provided the Interest is regularly paid, and good Security given.

ROGER PINCKNEY.

THE Creditors of the Estate of JOSEPH DUBOURDIEU, late of *George-Town*, deceased, are again requested to send their Demands, properly attested, to the Subscriber:—And, as there is a Necessity that a speedy Settlement be made of the Affairs of the said Estate, all Persons indebted thereto, are desired to discharge the same, by the 1st Day of *January* next, every Debt then unpaid, will be sued for without Distinction, by PAUL TRAPIER, *Administrator*.

THE HOUSE where I have kept Store upwards of Twenty Years, upon the Bay of George Town, with the Back-Stores and Wharf, TO BE LET by the Year, or on Lease of Four or Five Years; to be entered upon directly, provided the Parties take the small REMAINS OF GOODS upon Hand, which will be disposed of Reasonable.——It is incredible, to think what a great Trade may be carried on in this little Place, were there a greater Number of Stores. The few that are here already, sell upwards of Four Hundred Thousand Pounds a Year, and, have lately drawn down great Numbers of Waggons with Effects and Monies, once and twice a Year, from the WAXSAWS, and many different inland Parts of NORTH-CAROLINA, and the Numbers are daily increasing, as they find they can get Supplies.

Some Time in the Summer, will also BE TO LET,

THE Brick House, Back Stores, and Wharf upon the Bay, the S. E. Corner of Broad street, where Messrs. *Heriot*, *Tucker* & Co. now keep their Store, as the said Gentlemen have purchased a Bit of Land, and are building a House and Store thereon.—Those Persons who hire the above of me (as they may be Strangers in these Parts) shall always be welcome to any Advice I can give them: Security, if required, to be given for the Purchase of the Remains of Goods.

JOSEPH BROWN.

GEORGE-TOWN, *October* 28, 1774.

A MAN and his WIFE,

(Just arrived from ENGLAND)

WILL be willing to engage with any Gentleman in the Country, as an OVERSEER, (on his Part) either in managing a Plantation for raising of Rice, Corn, or Indico, having been used thereto.

Whose Wife is well acquainted in the Management of a Dairy, and raising of Poultry, &c.——There will be a Necessity of their Employers advancing a Trifle of Cash, to defray the Expences of their Passage from England, as they have each of them 4 Years to serve, in Recompence for their Passages.—They may be heard of at Mr. ELLIS's, in Unity-Alley.

N. B. The MAN likewise understands WAITING in a Tavern, or Driving a Coach, having been used thereto in ENGLAND.

TEN THOUSAND Feet of well-seasoned Two-Inch PINE PLANK, for Ship-building, will be sold at 70*s.* per 100 Feet, Cash.—Enquire at *Timothy*'s Printing-Office on the *Bay*, near the *Exchange*.

THE Co-partnership of *DAWSON* and *WALTER*, being expired, they request That all Perſons indebted to them will pay Regard to this Notice, that their ſeveral Bonds, Notes, and Accounts muſt be diſcharged the enſuing Crop.

N. B. Rice and Indico will be taken in Payment; thoſe whom it may ſuit to ſettle in the Country, may do ſo with *Mr. Walter*, at *Dorcheſter*, or Mr. *Readhead*, at *Monck's-Corner*.

A FEW PIPES
OF
Old *London Madera* Wine;
DITTO, in Bottles;
TEN Dozen of excellent CLARET; *Parker's* old PORTER, and rich CYDER in Bottles, &c. &c. to be SOLD reaſonably, by
ROGER SMITH.

GOOSE-CREEK, *October 31ſt*, 1774.

By the Commiſſioners of the Roads for the Pariſh of ST. JAMES, GOOSE-CREEK,

WHEREAS ſundry Pariſhioners have neglected at different Times, to appear and to ſend their taxable Males, to work upon the Roads in the ſaid Pariſh, when directed by the Board.—*This is to give Notice*, That all who will *not pay*, to one or other of the Commiſſioners, 10*ſ.* per Diem, for every ſuch Perſon belonging to them ſo abſented or detained, on or before the 15th of December next, ſhall have Warrants iſſued againſt them.

JOSEPH ATKINSON,
In BROAD-STREET,
Has juſt imported, in the laſt Ships from EUROPE, *and is* NOW OPENING, *for* SALE,
A FRESH and COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of all Kinds of GOODS, ſuitable for Families, and Plantation Uſe;—which he will continue to ſell, at his USUAL MODERATE ADVANCE, to all his Cuſtomers, for Caſh, or accuſtomed Credit.

WANTED immediately,
THREE or four THOUSAND POUNDS, upon Intereſt;—for which indiſputable Security will be given.—Enquire of the Printer.

To be SOLD,
(And may be entered in a few Days)
THAT convenient, airy, and pleaſantly ſituated HOUSE on White-Point, wherein the Subſcriber now lives. Two or three Year's Credit may be had, if deſired by the Purchaſer. Apply to
THOMAS SAVAGE.

ALL thoſe who have any Demands againſt the Eſtate of JOHN CHICKEN, deceaſed, late of the Pariſh of St. James, Santee, are deſired to ſend their Accompts, properly atteſted; and thoſe who are indebted, to make Payment, by the 1ſt of January next, or they will be ſued, by
WILLIAM CHICKEN, *Adminiſtrator*.

To be Sold by private Contract,
TWENTY LOTS of LAND, each containing Forty Feet in Front, and from One Hundred and Seven to One Hundred and Fifty Feet in Depth.

The ſaid Lots are ſituated on a Street Forty Feet wide, lately laid out from *Broad-ſtreet* through Lands belonging to me, near the Weſt End of *Broad-ſtreet* aforeſaid, which is almoſt as high a Piece of Land as any within the Limits of *Charles-Town*.

The Purchaſers may have a long Credit, giving approved Security, and paying the Intereſt punctually; and a Plat of the Lots may be ſeen at Mr. *Wells's*, and Mr. *Nicholas Langford's*, Bookſellers, in *Charles-Town*.—Apply to ARTHUR MIDDLETON.

To be Sold by private Contract,
A Valuable TRACT of LAND, containing 300 Acres, ſituate on the Branches of Beaver-Dam Creek, a Branch of Turkey-Creek, in Granville County, bounding N. W. on Land of Hezekiah Williar, N. by Land held by Robert Melville, S. W. on Land of William Goode, and all other Sides on vacant Land: The ſaid Tract conſiſts chiefly of Oak and Hickory. One, two, or three Years Credit will be given, on paying the Intereſt annually. For further Particulars, enquire on Champneys's Wharf, of
(t.f.) DANIEL STEVENS.

EZEKIEL HARLIN, on Savannah River, a light grey HORSE, about 14 Hands high, and about eleven Years old; branded HV on the mounting Shoulder, and HB on the near Buttock, and his Ears cropt off. *May 3d*, 1774.

PETER JACKSON, on Hard-labour Creek, a black HORSE, with a Star in his Forehead, his hind Feet white, paces and trots; is about eight Years old, and 13 and an half Hands high, has a Blemiſh in one of his Eyes, branded on the near Shoulder MI, and on the off Buttock W. *July 7th*, 1774.

WILLIAM COURSEY, on Turkey-Creek, a black roan HORSE, about twelve Hands high, a trotter, about eight Years old, branded on the off Buttock GB *July 16th*, 1774.

HENRY AUDOLPH, on Cuffey-Town-Creek, a ſmall brown bay HORSE, about ten Years old, branded on the Buttock WW in one. *July 25th*, 1774.

The Owners of the above Strays, muſt prove the Property, before BENJAMIN TUTT, J. P.

A Fifty Pounds Bill,
Stopped from two Negroes, by the Waiter at Mr. *Ramadge's* Tavern. Apply to Mr. *Ramadge*.

At JACOB VALK'S *Office.*

For PRIVATE SALE,
THREE TENEMENTS in *Allen-ſtreet*, commonly called *Dutch Church Alley*, at ſo low a Price as £.700 Currency each;—They now Rent at £. 100 Currency per Annum each.

Four TENEMENTS, lately built, with convenient Kitchens to each, ſituated in *Old Church-ſtreet Continued*, joining *Ellery-ſtreet*, *Colleton Square*: The Rooms are neatly papered, with Balconies to each Tenement, having a View over *Cooper-River*; now rented at £. 160 per Annum each.—To be had at ſo low a Price as £. 1100 Currency each Tenement. For further Particulars, apply to
JACOB VALK.

For Sale by private Contract,
FOUR valuable Tracts of Land, one of 1000 Acres, the other 400, 500, and 100 Acres making another Tract of 1000 Acres, laid out to ſuch Advantage, as to extend two Miles upon the River Ogechee, the Quality of the firſt Thouſand Acres is entirely adapted for Rice, the Soil of an exceeding good Quality, and Swamp ſufficient to work 150 or more Hands to advantage, and but 25 or 26 Miles from the Town of Savannah, and 4 or 5 from Great Ogechee River; the Timber growing is chiefly Cypreſs, Tupelo, Gum and Maple. The other three Tracts bound eaſterly on the River; upwards of 600 Acres is extraordinary fine for Indico or any high Land Produce, being what is generally called high River Swamp, and thought by good Judges to equal the Lands up Savannah River, that annually produces ſuch amazing Crops.

The Up-Lands that border upon the Swamp is extremely high, and delightful for Settlements, interſperſed with ſudden Falls, from which iſſue Springs of the fineſt Water, and reckoned to be remarkably healthy. The River alſo abounds with the greateſt Plenty of freſh Water Fiſh, and a very good and extenſive Range for Stock. The Plat may be ſeen, and further Particulars known of
JACOB VALK.

THOSE to whom Mr. *John Holman*, of *St. Andrew's* Pariſh, Planter, is anywiſe indebted, are deſired to make known their reſpective Demands to JACOB VALK.

To be Sold at private Sale,
A VERY valuable ſettled Plantation, with a Dwelling-Houſe, Orchard, and every neceſſary Building, ſituated in St. Bartholomew's Pariſh, containing 1240 Acres, is exceeding good Rice Land; the Reſt good Proviſion Land, and well timbered, being about 14 Miles from Jackſonſburgh, 38 from Charles-Town, and about 6 from the Landing at *Parker's* Ferry.

For further Particulars, enquire of
JACOB VALK.

For Sale by private Contract,
A Valuable Lot of Land in *King-ſtreet*, oppoſite where the *Old Goal* was, running through from the ſaid Street into *Orange-ſtreet* 200 Feet in Depth, and in Front of either Street 20 Feet, on which there is a very good Dwelling Houſe (a Brick Houſe) two Stories high, with other Conveniencies. For further Particulars, enquire of JACOB VALK.

For Sale by private Contract,
A Very valuable Plantation or Tract of Land in *Prince William's* Pariſh, containing 1076 Acres, 150 of which is cleared, exceeding good for Corn, Rice, or indico, ſituated three Miles from Stony-Creek or Pocotaligo, joining Lands of his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, Stephen Bull of Sheldon, Eſq; John Izard, Eſq; Mr. Bryan, and Mr. Deveaux. The Terms will made agreeable to the Purchaſer.
JACOB VALK.

THOSE to whom Mr. *Joſeph Stanyarne* of Stono, Planter, is any wiſe indebted, are deſired to make known their reſpective Demands, to
JACOB VALK.

For Sale by private Contract,
A Pleaſant ſituated Lot of Land upon *New Church-ſtreet Continued*, lately belonging to THOMAS MIDDLETON, Eſq; deceaſed, containing in Front 67 Feet 8 Inches, and in Depth upon the Canal leading from the Bridge to the Flood Gate 362 Feet 8 Inches, with a good Dwelling Houſe, and Summer Houſe on it. Two Years Credit will be allowed, giving Bond and paying Intereſt, with Security if required.
JACOB VALK.

For private SALE,
A Lot of LAND, containing in Front on Meeting ſtreet 110 Feet, and in Depth next to Hazel-ſtreet 265 Feet, in Breadth next Maiden-ſtreet 208 Feet, and in Depth from Maiden-ſtreet to Meeting-ſtreet 305 Feet; it will be divided into ſeveral Lots, as may beſt ſuit a Purchaſer. Four or Five Years Credit will be given, or Negroes taken in Payments. For further Particulars, pleaſe to enquire of
JACOB VALK.

RUN AWAY a Negro Fellow named ANDREW, (the Propety of Mr. Joſeph Stanyarne, of Stono, Planter) is ſhort and thick, about five Feet five Inches high, aged rather better than thirty Years; a noted Run-away, and is ſuppoſed to be gone his old Track, having been lately taken by John Gaillard, Eſq. Any Perſon that will apprehend the ſaid Negro, and deliver him to the Warden of the Work-Houſe, to Mr. Stanyarne, at Stono, or to me in Charles-Town, ſhall be handſomely rewarded,
JACOB VALK.

For private SALE,
A Very valuable TRACT of LAND, containing 1000 Acres in *Anſon-Township*, within two Miles of Col. *Thomſon's*, and about 120 from Town; on which is a Dwelling Houſe, 40 Feet by 20, framed, but not finiſhed, with Indico Vats, and Proviſion enough planted for next Year; the Land is very high, and inferior to none in the Province for Indico, with Plenty of Oak and Hickory, and a good Fence all round it.

Together with, Two Hundred and Fifty Acres of Pine-Barren, within a Mile and a Half of the above, which it can not do well without.

Alſo, Twelve Hundred Acres in the Fork of the *Congaree* and *Wateree* Rivers, near *M'Cord's-Ferry*, and about five Miles from Col. *Thomſon's*, on which is a tolerable good Houſe and other Buildings, 300 Acres of which is excellent high Swamp, has been ſettled ſome Years, and is expected to have a very great Surplus.

Two Hundred Acres upon *Wateree-River*, very pleaſant and healthy, ſituated upon a Bluff, being all Oak and Hickory, and nearly adjoining Lands of Mr. *Peter Leger*.

Likewiſe, A very valuable Tract of Land, containing 1600 Acres, ſituated at *Saltketchers*, 12 Miles from the Landing; 600 Acres is fine Rice Swamp, 600 Pine, and 400 good Oak and Hickory has been ſettled, but no Buildings on it. Plats may be ſeen, and Terms of Sale made known, by applying to
JACOB VALK.

The SUBSCRIBER
HAVING, in a late Advertiſement, ſignified his Intention of leaving the CUSTOM-HOUSE, *hereby gives Notice to the Public*, That he has left his Employment *there*, in Order the more effectually to put in Execution a Plan, to which, he flatters himſelf, his long Experience in Buſineſs of various Kinds, particularly in many *Public Writings* of the greateſt Importance, together with his Expedition and Exactneſs in adjuſting Accounts, will, in ſome Meaſure, render him adequate; and which he has been adviſed to engage in, by ſeveral Gentlemen of the firſt Rank, Influence, and Property, who have been pleaſed to entertain a favourable Opinion of his Abilities.

He propoſes, in a particular Manner, to apply himſelf to *writing Conveyances* of all Kinds, at a moderate Price; and hopes his Experience and cloſe Application, will enable him to execute that Branch of Buſineſs with Credit to himſelf, and Advantage to his Employer.

To undertake and perform all Manner of other *Writings*, and ſettle Accompts, however intricate, whether relative to the *Merchant*, *Planter*, or *Mechanic*, with as much Clearneſs and Diſpatch as any Perſon in the Province.

He will alſo negociate all Sorts of Contracts, ſuch as the purchaſing and diſpoſing of Lands, Tenements or Negroes;—the Borrowing or Lending of MONEY, &c. upon the moſt equitable and reaſonable Terms for Buyer or Seller, Borrower or Lender;—And will engage to do any Kind of Buſineſs that ſhall be entruſted to his Care, with the greateſt Integrity, and the utmoſt Secrecy: He therefore ſolicits the Encouragement of his Friends and the Public, at his Houſe in Queen-Street, oppoſite to Mr. ARTHUR PERONNEAU.
PETER BOUNETHEAU.
Charles-Town, 22d July, 1774.

To be Sold by private Contract,
THE Houſe and Lot in Old Church ſtreet, where Mr. James Johnſon, Baker, lately reſided; it is very conveniently ſituated for Buſineſs; one Half the Purchaſe Money will be wanted, and a long Credit will be given for the Remainder. For Particulars, apply to PETER BOUNETHEAU.

To be Sold by private Contract,
The following LOTS of LAND In CHARLES-TOWN,
ONE LOT in Tradd-Street, with a very convenient two Story Dwelling-Houſe thereon, pleaſantly ſituated; It has a ſmall Garden thereto, and every out Conveniency that can be mentioned, and in good Repair. A ſmall Part of the Money will be wanted; for the Remainder, the Terms will be made eaſy.

One other valuable LOT in Archdale-Street, with two neat Wooden Tenements thereon, very pleaſantly ſituated, which rent at £. 30 per Annum.

Two LOTS in Guignard-Street, oppoſite to Old Church-Street, one of which is vacant; on the other is a new-built Kitchen.

Alſo, A PLANTATION or TRACT of LAND, containing 300 Acres, ſituated on the South-Weſt Side of Lynch's-Creek, bounded South-Weſt on James Radcliff, and on all other Sides by vacant Land.

Likewiſe, Several NEGROES, one of which is a compleat Boatman and jobbing Carpenter, warranted honeſt and ſober; a compleat Waſher and Ironer, Field Slaves, &c. For further Particulars, enquire of
PETER BOUNETHEAU.

THE Bonds, Notes and Books of Accounts belonging to the Eſtate of Edward Mortimer, late of Monck's-Corner, deceaſed, are lodged in my Hands by the Adminiſtratrix, with full Power to receive and give Diſcharges on all Monies due thereon; and as there are many Perſons who have neglected to pay their Accounts and the Intereſt on their Bonds and Notes, theſe are therefore to inform them, that unleſs they are paid immediately, they will be poſitively ſued.
PETER BOUNETHEAU.

To be Sold by private Sale,
A LIKELY, young NEGRO WOMAN, with her Child about three Years of Age:—She is as complete a Waſher and Ironer as any in this Province; and is alſo a good plain Cook.—The Reaſon of her being ſold is, becauſe ſhe does not like to live in the Country.

ALSO,

Two other young WENCHES, who have been uſed to Houſe-Work, and ſold for no Fault whatſoever, PETER BOUNETHEAU.

I hereby Give NOTICE,

THAT I intend to leave the Province early in the Spring; and, as I may be abſent for a conſiderable Time, I ſhall, on *the Firſt Day of March next*, poſitively place all Debts due to me, *without Diſtinction*, in the Hands of a Lawyer, to be ſued on that Day.—No longer Indulgence can be given.

MILES BREWTON.

☞ Good RICE and INDICO will be received in Payment.

The following Paragraphs of the Act "for regulating the Aſſize of BREAD," *are now republiſhed, that no Perſon may plead Ignorance thereof.*

GEORGE SHEED, *Commiſſary-General.*

III. AND, to the Intent that the good Deſign of this Act may be effectually complied with, *Be it further Enacted*, by the Authority aforeſaid, That every common Baker, and other Perſon, who ſhall make or bake for Sale, or any Ways expoſe to Sale, any of the Sorts of Bread, herein before-mentioned, ſhall, from and after the Expiration of the ſaid *Thirty* Days next enſuing the paſſing of this Act, fairly imprint or mark, or cauſe to be fairly imprinted or marked, on every Loaf ſo by him or her made, or expoſed to Sale, the Price of ſuch Loaf, together with the initial Letters of the Name of the Baker thereof, whereby the ſaid Baker and Price of ſuch Bread may be diſtinctly known; and if any Baker or Bakers or other Perſon or Perſons, baking or making ſuch Bread for Sale and expoſing the ſame to Sale, ſhall not obſerve the Aſſize aſcertained by Virtue of this Act, or ſhall bake or make for Sale, or ſell or expoſe to Sale, any ſuft White, Wheaten, or Houſhould Bread, wanting the due Weight, or that ſhall not be Marked according to the Direction of this Act, or ſhall in any ſort or way break or infringe any of the Matters or Things appointed by the ſame, he, ſhe or they ſo doing, being thereof convicted by the Confeſſion of the Party, or by the Oath of one or more credible Witneſs or Witneſſes, before one or more Juſtices of the Peace of the County wherein the Offence ſhall be committed, ſhall for every ſuch Offence forfeit the Sum of *Twenty Shillings* Proclamation Money, to be levied by way of Diſtreſs, upon the Goods and Chattels of every ſuch Offender, by Warrant from the ſaid Juſtice or Juſtices, before whom ſuch Conviction ſhall be made, which Forfeiture ſhall be for the Uſe of and given to the Informer and Informers.

IV. And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforeſaid, That if any Baker or Seller of Bread, in this Act mentioned, ſhall put into any ſuch Bread by him or her ſold or expoſed to Sale, any Mixture of any other Grain than what ſhall be abſolutely neceſſary for the well making or baking thereof, to be judged of by the Juſtice or Juſtices trying and examining the ſame, every ſuch Perſon ſo offending, ſhall for every ſuch Offence, forfeit all ſuch Bread ſo fraudulently mixed, for the Uſe of the Poor of the Pariſh where the Offence ſhall be committed, and alſo the Sum of *Twenty Shillings* Proclamation Money, for the Uſe of the Informer or Informers; to be had and recovered in the Manner and Form herein before mentioned. *Provided always*, That no Perſon ſhall be convicted in Manner aforeſaid, for any of the before-mentioned Offences, unleſs the Proſecution in order to ſuch Conviction, be commenced within *Three* Days next after the Offence committed.

V. And that the good Deſign of this Act may be the more effectually accompliſhed; *Be it further Enacted* by the Authority aforeſaid, That it ſhall and may be lawful to and for any one or more Juſtice or Juſtices of the Peace, within their reſpective Counties, at all Times hereafter, in the Day-time, to enter into any Houſe, Shop, Stall, Bake Houſe, Ware-Houſe, or Out-Houſe, of or belonging to any Baker or Seller of Bread, there to ſearch for, view, weigh, and try all or any of the Bread mentioned in this Act, of ſuch Perſon, or which ſhall there be found; and if any ſuch Bread ſhall there be found wanting either in the Goodneſs of the Materials whereof the ſame ſhould be made, or be deficient in the due baking or Working thereof, or ſhall be wanting in the due Weight, or ſhall not be truly marked according to the Directions of this Act, or ſhall be mixed with any other Grain, or of any other Sort than is allowed by Virtue of this Act; then and in every ſuch Caſe, it ſhall and may be lawful to and for ſuch Juſtice or Juſtices of the Peace, to ſeize and take the ſaid Bread ſo found, and cauſe the ſame to be forthwith given and diſtributed to the Poor of the Pariſh where ſuch Seizure ſhall be made: And if any Baker or Seller of Bread, or other Perſon or Perſons, ſhall not permit or ſuffer ſuch Search or Seizure to be made, or ſhall oppoſe, hinder, or reſiſt the ſame, he, ſhe, or they ſo doing, ſhall for every ſuch Offence, forfeit the Sum of *Four Pounds* Proclamation Money aforeſaid, to the Uſe of the Poor of the Pariſh where the Offence ſhall be committed, to be had and recovered in the ſummary Manner and Form herein before firſt mentioned.

CHARLES-TOWN, DECEMBER 18, 1774.

AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province, intituled, "An ACT, *to regulate the* PRICE *and* ASSIZE, *of* BREAD."

I HAVE enquired the Price of FLOUR, and find that imported from the *Northern* Colonies, is at SIX POUNDS and FIFTEEN SHILLINGS, per Hundred Pounds Weight, and *Carolina* Flour at FOUR POUNDS and FIFTEEN SHILLINGS (being both uſed by the Bakers); at which Price the HALF CROWN Loaves muſt weigh as follows:

Of NORTHWARD Flour.	lb.	oz.	dr.
WHITE,	1	10	8
WHEATEN,	2	7	12
HOUSHOLD,	3	5	0

Of CAROLINA Flour.	lb.	oz.	d.
WHITE,	2	2	0
WHEATEN,	3	3	0
HOUSHOLD,	4	4	0

Of which all Bakers of Bread are required to take due Notice. GEORGE SHEED, *Commiſſary-General.*

To be SOLD,

At the Vendue-Houſe in CHARLES-TOWN,

On *Thurſday* the 15th of *Dec.* Inſt.

(At TEN o'Clock in the Forenoon)

EIGHTEEN Hogſheads of *Granada* RUM, two Years and an half old—16 Caſks (50 or 60 Gallons each) of fine old Jamaica RUM; a few Hogſheads of Muſcovado SUGAR; and about 2000 Weight of very fine COFFEE, in Bags.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Comp.

LOST,

A plain Gold WATCH,

Marked inſide *James Eliſon*, 22767.——Whoever finds the ſame, and will return it to the Printer hereof, ſhall be handſomely rewarded.

To be Sold at public Vendue,

At 10 *o'Clock in the* FORENOON,

On MONDAY, the 17th of *January*,

At the Houſe of James Purcell, *in* Beresford's *Alley*,

HIS Houſhould-Furniture, conſiſting of Beds, Chairs, Looking-Glaſſes, a Bureau, Mahogany Tables, Fire-Grates, China and Earthen Ware, Table and other Linen, two excellent Guns, a Pair of Piſtols, and ſome uſeful Kitchen Utenſils, &c.

AND,

On WEDNESDAY, *the* Nineteenth,

Will be SOLD,

At the ſame Place,

THREE handy NEGROES; the remaining Stock of LIQUORS on Hand, namely, Madera, Frontiniac, two Quarter-Caſks of rich Orange Shrub, Rums, Brandy, 150 Dozen of Parker's Porter, and a Quantity of empty Bottles.

THE Partnerſhip of MOTTET & SAVAGE, being expired ſince *October* laſt, they requeſt all Perſons indebted to them, to ſettle their Accounts before the fifteenth Day of *January* next, as they will be obliged, by their Creditors, to deliver their Books, Bonds and Notes into the Hands of an Attorney at Law, to be ſued for, which they would be glad to prevent, by a Settlement eaſy to every Perſon concerned.

And for the better Security to their Creditors, their Pharmacy is TO BE SOLD. Any Perſon or Perſons, inclined to purchaſe, muſt apply to them.

They venture to declare their Pharmacy the compleateſt private one in America, for the Generality of Compoſitions in all Caſes, many of which found by Mr. LEWIS MOTTET, in his conſtant Practice of Obſervations for Twenty-five Years in this Province.

For GOSPORT,

THE SHIP

LESTON,

Roger Bartlett, Maſter,

HAS very genteel Accommodations for Paſſengers, and will ſail by the 15th of December. For Paſſage apply to ſaid Maſter at Rowand's Wharf, or

James & Neilſon.

Who have received by the ſaid Veſſel,

A Quantity of New-England Pine Boards, Sweet Cyder, Superfine Flour, &c.

WANTED, a proper Perſon to manage my Farm on Charles-Town Neck.

WILLIAM BURROWS.

FOUND, by a Son of mine,

A GOLD BUTTON,

Engraved W P or P W.—The Owner may have it, on paying the Charge of advertiſing, and apply at *Timothy*'s Printing-Office on the Bay, near the Exchange.

THE Copartnerſhip of FABRE & SIMONS, being ended, they earneſtly entreat all thoſe indebted to them, to make Payment as ſoon as poſſible, as there is an abſolute Neceſſity of cloſing their Concerns immediately.

RICE and INDICO, will be taken in Payment.

ABSENTED from me, *Nov.* 28, 1774, an Apprentice Boy, named RICHARD COLLIS, a Mulatto, very brown Complexion, with black Hair, about 5 Feet odd Inches high, very well known at Pompon and Dorcheſter; had on when he went away a blue Whitney Jacket, with Sleeves, lined with Swanſkin, a blue Negro Cloth Robbin and Breeches, with white Mettal Buttons.—— Whoever will take up the ſaid Apprentice, and deliver him to the Warden of the Work-Houſe, or to me, on Trott's-Point, ſhall receive a Reward of *Ten Pounds* Currency, and all reaſonable Charges, from

Dec. 1, 1774. JOHN LAMPUT.

A QUARTERLY MEETING of the *FELLOWSHIP SOCIETY*, will be held on WEDNESDAY the 14th of *December* next, at the Houſe of Mrs. CATHARINE POINSETT; where the Members are deſired to attend, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

By Order of the Preſident,

ALEXANDER ALEXANDER, *Preſident.*

Charles-Town, November 21, 1774.

BARROW JOHNSTON,

Takes this Method to acquaint the PUBLIC,

THAT he is juſt arrived from Liverpoole, with an Aſſortment of UPHOLSTERY GOODS, ſuch as Paper-Hangings, Blankets, Rugs, Counterpanes, Matraſſes, Backgammon Tables, Furniture Checks, Mohrines, Bed-Ticks, Trunks, Umbrellas, Mahogany Bedſteads, Taffaties, Venetian Blinds, &c. And, as he intends to follow the ſaid Buſineſs, in all its Branches, hopes to meet with Encouragement, eſpecially as he intends to work on the moſt reaſonable Terms: All Orders will be punctually executed, by applying to him in Broad-ſtreet, next Door to Mr. WILLIAM GOWDEY.

On *Wedneſday* the 4th of *Jan.* 1775,

Will be Sold by public Outcry,

At Crowfield, *in the Pariſh of* St. James, Goose-Creek,

SEVERAL Teams of Oxen, ſundry Milch Cows, yearling Heifers, Horſes and Mares, about Forty-five Head of Sheep, ſome Goats, Plantation Tools and Utenſils, ſome uſeful Houſhold-Furniture, a Quantity of Indian Corn, ſome Rough Rice, &c.

AND,

On *Wedneſday* the 18th of *Jan.* 1775,

Will be Sold by public Outcry,

At Mr. Strickland's *on* Charles-Town Neck,

ALL that valuable PLANTATION or Tract of LAND, called *Crowfield*, containing Fourteen Hundred and Forty Acres, or thereabouts, formerly belonging to William Middleton, Eſq; afterwards to William Walter, Eſq; deceaſed, and ſituated in the Pariſh of Goose-Creek:—On which Plantation are, a large Brick capital MANSION-HOUSE, elegant GARDENS, and other Improvements, ſo well known as not to require a more particular Deſcription. *Alſo*,

A PLANTATION or Tract of LAND, called Haggatt-Hall, containing Thirteen Acres or thereabouts, ſituate on the South-weſt Side of Aſhley-River, in St. George's Pariſh, Dorcheſter, and bounding South-weſt on Land now or late of John Walter, Eſq; Weſtward on Lands now or late of Samuel Wainwright, James Poſtell, and John Wragg, Eſqrs. Eaſtward on Land now or late of William Wragg, Eſq; and to the North-eaſt on the ſaid River.

At the ſame Time and Place will be Sold,

Upwards of ONE HUNDRED

NEGROES:

AMONG which are two good Drivers, ſome Carpenters, Coopers, and Sawyers, ſeveral Houſe Negroes, Male and Female, all or moſt of them this Country born, in perfect Health, and in general young.

The Conditions of this Sale are, Caſh for all Sums under 350*l.* and for Articles of or exceeding that Amount, Credit will be allowed to the firſt of April next, the Perſons paying Intereſt and giving approved Security; but as there will *then* be an abſolute Neceſſity for remitting the Proceeds to England, Punctuality in the Performance of their reſpective Engagements will be expected. The Property of any Thing not to be altered until the above Conditions are fulfilled.

RICE, INDICO or NAVAL STORES at Market Prices, will be taken in Payment.

Any Perſon willing to treat before the Day of Sale, for any of the Plantations, may apply, at Mr. JOHN MCCALL's, in Elliott-Street, to

SAMUEL CARNE.

WILLIAM DONALDSON, intending to leave the Province the enſuing Spring, requeſts the Favour of thoſe indebted to him by Bond, Note or open Account, to ſettle the ſame as early as poſſible.

In the mean Time he will diſpoſe of his STOCK ON HAND, which is freſh, and conſiſts chiefly of well bought uſeful Articles, upon moderate Terms, eſpecially for *Caſh*, at his Store in Elliott-Street. A Perſon taking a Quantity may have any reaſonable Credit, giving Security if required.

A Conſignment of SILKS to be ſold at Coſt and Charges.

Parker's Porter bottled and in Caſks, and Red Port Wine bottled in London; Ladies round Hat Boxes, and ſome elegant Trunks from 5*l.* to 35*l.* each.

BROUGHT to Camden Goal,

OCTOBER 14, 1774.

ONE Negro Fellow named JACK, ſays his Maſter's Name is FENDELL; he is about five Feet three Inches high, had on an old white Negro Jacket, and red Robbin, an old Pair of Ruſſia Drab Breeches, patched with checked Linen, his country Bomroy, with three Strokes on each Side of his Cheeks, his Noſe and Cheeks pitted with the Small Pox, and has three ſmall Scars on his left Hand burnt.

OCTOBER 25.

A Negro Man about five Feet three Inches high, calls himſelf ENGLAND, ſays his Maſter's Name is PETER PORCHER, living at *Santee*, has on an old white Negro Cloth Waiſtcoat, and a Pair of old Ruſſia Drab Breeches, very much knock knee'd, this Country born, very big Eyes, with a Scar on his right Jaw by a Gum Boil.

NOVEMBER 1.

A Negro Man about five Feet ten Inches high, ſays he belongs to Mr. JOHN STROBELL at Purryſburg, and ſays his Name is CATO, branded on the right Breaſt S with five Strokes on his right Cheek, and four on his left, he has with him an Indian Blanket.

NOVEMBER 7.

A Negro Man about five Feet four Inches high, who calls himſelf LEWIS, and ſays he belongs to one Mr. SIMMES, a Dutchman; he has on an Oſnabrug Shirt, an old Negro Cloth Jacket and a Blanket, is of the Guiney Country.

NOVEMBER 8.

A Negro Man about five Feet four 1-Half Inches high, calls himſelf Silkrope, and ſays he belongs to Mr. JOHN DAWSON, Merchant in Charles-Town; he is branded on the right Breaſt I D, his country Mandingo, and has a Scar on his left Thumb, done by a Gun in his Country, has on a Pair of old white Negro Cloth Breeches.

ABSENTED himſelf from my Service, about the 12th of October laſt, and ſuppoſed may endeavour to for ſome of the Weſt-India Iſlands, an Apprentice Lad, about 17 or 18 Years of Age; is ſhort, and thick, with a buſhy Head of Hair, and very artful, named JOHN OXENHAM; he had on when he went a new drab Jacket and Breeches, and a ſtriped Shirt:—All Maſters of Veſſels are forwarned from carrying him off the Province, as well as all Perſons from harbouring or concealing him, under the ſevereſt Penalty the Law will inflict:—Whoever will deliver the aforeſaid Apprentice to me in George-Town, ſhall have TWENTY SHILLINGS Reward, and reaſonable Charges.

JOHN PACKROW.